

Merry Christmas

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Christmas Programs In The Various Churches

New Lenox Methodist

The New Lenox Methodist Sunday school is making quite elaborate preparations for their annual Christmas program to be held on Christmas Eve. All departments of the Sunday school and young people's groups will participate in the program. Those heading the various committees are as follows:

Miss Lucille Balderson, Music chairman; Mrs. Ina Gurley, Dramatic chairman; Mrs. Verna Schmuhl and teachers of the Primary department are in charge of the Primary dramatic work; Mrs. Myrtle Alexander, Costume chairman; Y. M. C. A. in charge of decorations.

Grace Episcopal, New Lenox

This coming Sunday night the annual Christmas party of the Grace Episcopal church in New Lenox will be held in the church commencing at 7:30 p. m. There will be a candle light procession by the choir, followed by the regular evening service. The children's program will follow, and Santa will be on hand with fruit and gifts.

St. John's Evangelical

Mokena

The St. John's Evangelical church in Mokena will present their Christmas program on Christmas Eve, Sunday night, December 24.

The choir, the Young People, and all the departments of the Sunday school will take part. The chief feature of the program will be a Christmas play. A Christmas tree will add its beauty to the holiday services. At the close of the exercises gifts will be distributed. The public is most cordially invited.

Orland Park Methodist

The annual Christmas Eve exercises will take place in the Orland Park Methodist church on Sunday evening, December 24. The choir and every department of the Sunday school will participate in the program. A beautiful Christmas in all its glory of tinsel and colored lights will grace the church. The exercises will begin at 8 p. m. Everyone is most heartily invited to attend.

Orland Choir

The choir of the Orland Park Methodist church will present a very pleasing offering at the church Sunday night, December 17, at 8 o'clock when they will be heard in the world famous Handel's "Messiah." The famed Christmas parts will be sung by a chorus of 18 voices. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mokena Emmanuel Lutheran

Sunday, December 24. Regular morning service at 10 a. m. Children's program, "The Nativity" at 8:00 p. m.

Monday, December 25. Christmas Day service at 10 a. m.

Thursday, December 28. Candlelight song service at 8 p. m.

Sunday, December 31. Communion service at 10 a. m.

Monday, January 1. New Year's Day service at 10 a. m.

Green Garden Methodist

Christmas Sermon will be preached by the pastor on Sunday, Dec. 17, at 10:45 a. m. The choir will render a special Christmas number.

Christmas Program will be given by the entire Sunday school, Dec. 24, at 7:30 p. m. Edwin Bettenhausen is Supt. of the school and is in charge of the program assisted by the entire staff of teachers. Attend these inspiring services and be welcome.

Mokena Methodist Episcopal

The Christmas program in the Mokena Methodist church given by the pupils of the Sunday School will be given in the church Friday evening, December 22nd, beginning at 7:45 p. m. The "Coming of Christ in Living Pictures" is the name of the part taken by the Intermediate and Junior departments. The Primary department will have a short interesting program. All are invited to attend.

Come To Church This Christmas



Now, perhaps more than at any other time, you need your Church . . . and by the same token, your church needs you. In these times of trouble and strife none of us can afford to be without the spiritual guidance offered by our churches. It is the duty, as well as the need, of each of us to express and affirm his belief in the Glory of God and his faith that righteousness will triumph. Attend church regularly, no matter what your faith; there you'll find the solace and guidance that all of us need . . . come to church Christmas!

St. Peter's, Frankfort

During the holidays four different programs will be rendered at St. Peter's Church at Frankfort.

The first of these is the Christmas Cantata - Pageant, by Verna Whinery and Roy E. Nolte, entitled "The Christmas Song of The Ages."

This program will be presented on Sunday evening, December 17, by the Senior and Adult departments of the Bible school, assisted by the church choir.

The three parts of this beautiful pageant present:

1. The Songs of the First Christmas.

2. The Christmas Songs of the Ages.

3. A Heritage of Christmas Song. Approximately 50 people take part in this pageant either singing the songs or illustrating the songs by tableaux. A narrator makes the different scenes easily understood.

The Second program on Christmas Eve will as usual be presented by the Junior Primaries and Beginners and will in addition to the usual recitations, songs, and exercises present the beautiful pageant "When The Star Shone."

The story of this pageant tells how Mrs. Goodheart visited by her young grandchildren, finds that they are selfish and plots with the aid of her little maid to have the star on top of the Christmas tree go out. This gives her the opportunity to bring out naturally the telling of the lovely story of long ago, titled "When The Star Shone."

The children are led to give unselfishly to others as did the children of Judea beneath the star that shone above the Christ child.

For Thursday after Christmas the Ladies Aid Society will serve lunch after their afternoon meeting and present a varied program of travel pictures and a Christmas play in the evening.

On New Year's Eve the entire congregation will unite again in a program beginning at 8:00 p. m., and closing with a midnight service at 11:30. This program will be presented in five sections and will be in the nature of a surprise program. Only the members of each group will know beforehand what kind of entertainment their group will present.

We most cordially invite the community to come and enjoy our programs.

Frankfort Methodist

Christmas Cantata will be rendered by the choir under the leadership of Miss Louise Dunn on Sunday evening, December 17, at 7:45. This inspiring service of song and music is open to all.

Christmas Program will be given by the entire Sunday school on Saturday, December 23, at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Alvin Hill, Supt. of the Sunday school, will be in charge assisted by the entire staff of teachers.

Christmas Sermon will be preached by the pastor on Sunday, Dec. 24, at 9:30 a. m. The choir will sing a Christmas anthem. Attend and be welcome at these inspiring services.

Trinity Lutheran, Tinley Park

Sunday, December 24, the morning services will be dropped, but in the evening at 7 o'clock, there will be a special Christmas Eve service in which the children of our parochial and Sunday schools will present a program titled "The Nativity."

Christmas Day two services will be conducted, a German Christmas service at 9:30 a. m., and an English Christmas service at 10:30 a. m.

Zion Lutheran, Tinley Park

The Tinley Park Zion Lutheran church is preparing for a very elaborate Christmas program to be held at this church on Christmas Eve. The choir and all departments of the Sunday school and young people's groups will participate.

Mokena PTA Christmas Party

The Mokena P. T. A. is inviting the parents to come and help make their Christmas party a success. It is the privilege of all the parents' gram. A beautiful Xmas tree in all to attend the party, to be held on December 21, in the Mokena school auditorium, at 7:30 p. m.

The children of all the grades will participate in the program arranged for the occasion by teachers. The PTA sincerely believes by the parents attending the school programs they not only help to make the children more confident of their school abilities, but also create a better understanding between the parents and the teachers. The parents of the community are invited to attend this program and see what progress their children are making and get acquainted with the teachers as well as the neighbors.

The P. T. A. wishes to thank Mrs. Ferguson and her pupils for the program they presented at the last PTA meeting.

A short meeting of the PTA will take place at the school on December 21, at 7:15 p. m., before the Christmas party.

Mokena School Xmas Exercises

The Mokena Public school will present the following Christmas program in the school auditorium next Thursday night, December 21, at 8 p. m.

O Tannenbaum, selection by Band. The Shepherds Story.

Tableau of the Shepherds. Shepherds: Robert McGregor, George Merrick, Billy Steen. Angels: Violet Hurley, Lois Mancke. Carols sung by third and fourth grades.

Story of the Wisemen.

Tableau of the Wisemen, Wisemen: Billy Bruns, Billy Homerding, Gordon Spiess. Carols sung by seventh and eighth grade boys. Soloists: John Boesener, Lester Stermer, and Stanley Baudry.

Silent Night, Holy Night. O Santissima, by Band.

Banks Mail Dividend Checks

The stockholders of the Orland Park State Bank were delighted to receive three per cent dividend checks on their capital stock, Tuesday morning of this week, which came in handy for Christmas shopping. In a letter which accompanied the dividend, President Wm. T. Beagley, of the Orland State Bank said in part:

"Your officers and directors take this opportunity to thank you for your cooperation during the year 1939, and it gives us a great deal of pleasure to enclose herewith a check representing three per cent dividend on your capital stock. We are pleased to report that conditions are improved over last year, and that our deposits have increased about \$50,000.00.

"We are not unmindful of the fact that every corporation needs the support and good will of its stockholders in order to succeed, and we certainly appreciate your help during the past year."

MOKENA BANK

The Mokena State Bank at a

Tableau of The Nativity: Mary, Lois Guindin, Joseph, Donald Smith. Angels: Patty Bennett, Donna Bueschel. "O Holy Night," "Silent Night, Holy Night," sung by seventh and eighth grade and High school girls. "Away in a Manger," "Blessed Lord Jesus," sung by first and second grades.

Everywhere Christmas Tonight. Tableau of the Carolers. Carolers: Donna Bennett, LaVerne Gunhouse, David Krapp, Dean Richert, Bill Mutch, Carols sung by the fifth and sixth grades.

Adestis Fidelis, by Band. Stage Hands: Richard Benson, Gordon Clevenger.

Costumes: Mrs. James Egerton, representing the P. T. A. Accompanist: Catherine Reid.

Reader: Dora Stark. Band directed by Howard Strom.

Spot: Wilbur Mancke. Directed by Eleanor Ferguson, Sara Snare, Elizabeth Cappel, and Gertrude Pfeil.

meeting Wednesday voted a six per cent stock dividend which will be paid to the stock holders in time for their Christmas shopping. The Mokena State Bank has had a very successful year.

NEW LENOX STATE BANK

The New Lenox State Bank mailed out their annual dividend checks to their stockholders this week. In a note accompanying each check, Mr. Fred Krog, cashier of the bank said in part:

"The year 1939 was a year of progress for the New Lenox State bank, and the board of Directors express their appreciation for your loyalty by declaring the dividend represented by the enclosed check."

R. I. Reports Heavy Holiday Traffic

The heaviest holiday travel in years, exceeding the record of 1938 by at least 5 per cent was the prediction by A. D. Martin, Passenger Traffic Manager of the Rock Island Lines, as he completed arrangements for a total of approximately 175 extra passenger cars to be used on that railroad's regular trains throughout the system. Special sections of the streamline Rocket trains will also be operated over the Christmas holidays. The anticipated December travel is estimated at about 27 per cent above that of November.

"Two factors enter into our predictions," explained Mr. Martin. "In the first place, Christmas Day this year falls on Monday, which means practically a four-day holiday. People will start their holiday travel on Friday and return on the following Tuesday. Secondly, there will be more people who will visit their friends and relatives in this country, than heretofore, because they cannot go abroad on account of war conditions in Europe and the Orient. They will take advantage of this opportunity to travel in the United States—many are going West."

HOMER

Mrs. Fred Kopleman

Wednesday evening Mrs. Fred Kopleman and Mrs. Angelo Depra entertained in the home of the latter in honor of Miss Eleanor Kopleman's 13th birthday. The evening was spent playing games, after which refreshments were served at quarter tables. The guest list included Marjorie Fredrickson, Shirley Ireson, Hope Norton, Virjean Spangler, Iris Israelson, Gwendolyn Wolsted, Dorothy Johnson, Jean Kennedy, Virginia Mae Varley, Louann Krumlund, Jane Kesner, Betty Jos Murphy, Laura Scripture, Ruth Ann Brown, Mrs. Marie Ott and Miss Taylor.

Eleanor was the recipient of many pretty gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winke have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Evelyn, to James G. Marti, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Marti, of Mokena. The wedding will take place the latter part of the month at St. John's Catholic church, in Joliet.

A pre-nuptial party will be given by the prospective bride's sister, Mrs. Harry Cooper and Miss Ruth Winke, at the home of the former on Wednesday evening.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Boyce has been ill. Mrs. E. A. Carey, Chicago, was a Homer visitor on Friday and attended the Christmas party at the Bigelow home.

The Homer Dramatic club will meet in the church parlors on Tuesday night. The committee in charge is Robert Burch, Frank Hartman, and Margie Reid.

Harold Hewitt, Chicago, was a Homer visitor Thursday.

The Wayside Workers Circle of King's Daughters were entertained at the home of Mrs. Bertha Bigelow Friday at an all day session. Dinner was served at quarter tables to approximately 30 members and friends.

Following the dinner a very interesting program was presented. Each person gave a Christmas custom, either in this or of foreign lands in response to their name at roll call. The Christmas story was then read, interspersed by the singing of Christmas carols. An exchange of gifts was also enjoyed.

Before the guests departed, they presented Mrs. Helen Rowley with a beautiful birthday cake in honor of her 75th birthday anniversary. Hostesses for the January meeting will be Mrs. Fred Trask and Mrs. Walter Paddock. The place of the meeting will be announced later.

George Ott, Frank Loucks, and Morrill Cagwin attended the directors meeting at the Agricultural conservation office in Joliet Friday and Saturday. The first day was given over to an explanation of the change in the 1940 program, and the educational work was treated on Saturday.

The Maple Street Arbor of Gleaners entertained 350 guests at their annual free dancing party Friday night. Lea's Melody Boys furnished the music and everyone appeared to be having a wonderful time.

Mrs. Wallace Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Marti, New Lenox; Elmer Dupree, Plainfield, were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Creer in Orland Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Burch sang all three nights on the WLS Barn Dance show which was sponsored by the P. T. A. of Fairmont last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Greenberg, Wheatland, and the latter's mother, Mrs. Haag, of Romeo, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blodgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gorham were business visitors in Chicago a portion of the past week.

Mrs. Fred Lauffer was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Alfred Edwards and children of Joliet spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dale.

Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson and her cousin, Miss Ham, from New York, Miss Eloise Welter and Bruce Anderson attended the International Exposition at Chicago Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Roberts have recently sold their farm and moved to Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Gorham and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Mossberg

Mokena Garden Club Holds Last Meeting in 1939

The last meeting of the Garden club was held at the home of Mrs. Bartell on Tuesday, December 5. The members voiced their gratification that their dream of beautifying Wolf Road with trees is at last being realized. The Club has worked for years on this project and though the State Department is doing the planting on four-lane or primary highways, it is felt that pressure from the Club has hastened the work on this road, which is not classed as such. Mr. Cleveland is likewise due a large share of thanks in the work he has done in getting petitions signed and through a conservation organization to which he belongs.

The Club brought and filled several large boxes with toys and holiday foods to send to the Main Guild which distributes these gifts where they are needed. Any further contributions can be taken to the home of Mrs. Schweizer until the 13th of the month, when they will be shipped.

The meeting was also the Christmas exchange for the club itself, so each member left with a package.

MARLEY

Mrs. Loren Sass

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Lauffer, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sproat, and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Gillette were dinner guests of Mr. Leon Tonn, of Mokena, Sunday.

Miss Margaret Dale spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Frances Edwards, in Joliet.

Mr. James Frazer attended the Gleaner convention, held in Jackson, Michigan last week.

Mrs. Arthur Lauffer visited in Chicago Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lauffer were entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Holm Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Corp, Lockport, were guests Monday night in the Alfred Sproat home.

Mrs. Jane Casson has returned to her home in Plainfield after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marshall the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Coe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Haley at Kempton.

Mrs. William Peterson, of California, visited the past week with Mr. and Mrs. John Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dale entertained in their home Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Julian Gorham and Mr. and Mrs. John Mossberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sproat and family were entertained at dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tatro, on Plainfield Road.

Mrs. Jessie Marshall visited Monday with her sister, Mrs. Ernest Eaton, of Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sass entertained at dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Loren Sass and Laverne Braun.

The Woman's Missionary Society held their regular monthly meeting December 7, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lauffer, with Mrs. Charles Lauffer and Mrs. Loren Sass as assisting hostesses. Dinner was served to sixty-five guests. Audrey Neithammer and Delores Cooper sang and tap-danced to two songs accompanied by Mrs. Hugo Neithammer.

and family, and Bill Morrison enjoyed an evening of cards at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dale Friday night.

James Frazer represented the Maple Street Arbor of Gleaners at the Gleaner's Life Insurance bi-annual convention, held at the Haystack hotel in Jackson, Mich., last week. The convention was in session three days. Mrs. Harry Ayers, Lockport, and Mrs. J. R. Leist, Joliet, also attended. Illinois can well be proud that the new National President elected is H. H. Hackett.

Mrs. Christ Hartman and daughters spent Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Wallace Morrison.

hammer at the piano. Mrs. George Gee, Jr., and Mrs. Kay, of Orland, sang two songs, accompanied by Mrs. Adel Cooper. The annual election of officers was held and the results are as follows:

President, Mrs. Arthur Lauffer; Vice President, Mrs. Fred Blodgett; Secretary and Treas., Miss Caroline Tilsey; Program chairman, Mrs. Louis Sass; Flower chairman, Mrs. Libby Haley.



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Alarm Clocks, \$1 to \$2.95. Watches, from \$1 to \$4.50. Fountain Pens and Sets from 75c to \$7.50. Toilet Water, from 25c to \$1. Cigars and Cigarettes, full line 5, 10, 25, and 50 in Xmas box.

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at some intersection we have found upon careful traffic analyses that the reason for so many "near accidents" was the fact that shrubbery board fences and other obstructions interfered with the driver's vision. Upon removal of some of these obstructions no arterial signs were necessary.

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It is Christmas time again... the time of the year when most of us are inclined to forget somewhat the urge and surge of business and to think more seriously of the beauties of life and the things which make life more worth living.

One of the most beautiful things in life, as we see it, is the spirit of friendship which underlies our relations with each other. Without friends, life would be an empty shell.

As in our personal lives, so it is also in our business lives. With an understanding such as is born of true friendship, our business relations with our fellow men tend to become warm and cordial.

And so at this time we want to tell you that we have appreciated your friendship for us, your confidence in us, your loyalty to us.

In token of our genuine appreciation of your friendship, we extend to you our sincere wish that you and those who are near and dear to you may enjoy a truly Happy Christmas Season and a Most Prosperous New Year.

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Mokena, Illinois

FORMER MAYOR OF MOKENA DIES

Failure To Heed Intersection Stop Sign Brings Death

Failure to stop at the stop sign on 159th St. at Oak Park Ave., north of Tinley Park, caused a fatal accident last Friday night, resulting in the death of one man and injury to two other persons.

Just who was to blame has not been disclosed. The crash occurred about seven o'clock in the evening. A Pontiac, driven by a colored preacher, Rev. Anderson, of Kankakee, was going east on 159th St., and two new Nash cars hooked together in transit going south on Oak Park Ave., crashed. The impact was so terrific that the cars were rolled for some distance and smashed. The preacher, who weighed about 260 pounds, was thrown from the car almost directly in front of the Haf-Wa-Eat Shop. He was fatally injured and died within a short time after being taken to the Oak Forest Infirmary by State Highway Police.

With the minister was a woman and a little girl. The woman was somewhat injured but the child escaped injury.

The colored man was also a newspaper man and a deputy sheriff, as shown by identification cards found in his pocketbook.

A revolver and an \$85 watch were reported lost after the smash and have not been found.

The driver of the cars in transit was also injured, but was able to be about.

Walter Eichleberg and his daughter came along in their car just about the time the crash occurred but Mr. Eichleberg managed to drive alongside of the Haf-Wa-Eat shop just far enough to miss being struck by the hurling car of the colored preacher.

The intersection at 159th and Oak Park has been the scene of a number of serious accidents, due chiefly to failure of motorists to obey the stop signs.

2 Games At Mokena Sunday

Sunday December 17, there will be two basketball games played in the Mokena school gym, the first game starting at 2:30 p. m. The Mokena Alumni Lights and Heavies will play the West Park Aces of Joliet.

The Alumni team will wear their new suits for the first time Sunday.

Two very interesting games are predicted and all the fans should come and support their home teams.

Will Hold Piano Recital

The pupils of Mrs. W. C. Davidson in Lincoln Estates will be presented in a piano recital at the Ann Rutledge school on Wednesday evening, December 20, at 8:00 o'clock. Those taking part will be Misses Lois Madsen, Shirley Neidringhaus, Eleanor Barchos, Donna Dean McLean, Helga and Elizabeth Goering, and Master Jerry McLean.

All those interested are most cordially invited to attend.

Auction Dates

Edw. Schmaedeke, Auctioneer.

Dec. 15, J. J. Rubis, Orland Park.
Dec. 16, Mrs. Mary Slachetka, Le-mont.

Dec. 23—Community Sale. 159th & Wolf Rd. Schmaedeke & Ingraham, Auctioneers.

Set New Tinley Speed Limits

Sometime ago the Tinley council asked the State Highway Department to make certain regulations relative to speed limits through Tinley Park, and the department has made a report in which the following speed limits are prescribed:

From 167th to 171st St., 35 miles per hour; 171st to 175th St., 25 m. p. h.; 175th to 179th St., 35 m. p. h. These new speed limits have gone into effect and will continue so unless otherwise ordered.

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Frankfort Church To Present Cantata

St. Peter's Evang. and Ref. church of Frankfort will present a cantata pageant entitled "The Christmas Song of The Ages," in the church on Sunday, December 17, at 7:30 p. m.

The program is introduced by a processional consisting of the choir members and senior chorus members singing the following songs: "Angels From The Realms of Glory," "Sing Unto The Lord," "Glory to God," "Let Joy Bells Ring."

Part One contains songs of the first Christmas. Each scene is given in tableau and explained by song by the choir.

Part Two are the songs of the Ages and are the old carols introduced by either songs or a narrator.

Part Three is a Heritage of Christmas songs.

The program is entertaining, educational, and will serve as a wonderful preparation for the Christmas season. The Sunday evening services will be worth while, so try to be present.

On December 24, in the evening, the program will be given by the children's department of the Sunday school. On December 25, service will start at 8:00 a. m. On Thursday following, the Ladies Aid will have an oyster supper followed by a program. Then on Old Year's Eve, as of previous years, there will be entertainment for all followed by a sacred midnight service. Remember these programs and try to be there.

Report on Mokena Red Cross Drive

The total returns of the annual Red Cross drive held in Mokena this year amount to \$67.60. Of this amount \$51 was received in membership fees; \$6.60 received in contributions less than \$1; \$5 was received in membership fee over \$1; \$5 was received from the Mokena Civic Association.

Of the total amount \$29.30 will be forwarded to the National Red Cross. This is fifty cents from each membership and one-half of the contributions less than \$1. The whole of the contribution from the Civic Ass'n. is kept in our local treasury. A total of 38.30 will flow into the Mokena treasury.

Announce Coming Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winke, of Homer township, announce the engagement of their daughter Evelyn, to James G. Marti, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Marti, of Mokena.

The wedding will take place the latter part of the month in St. John's Catholic church, in Joliet.

Hundreds Attend Big Auction

The largest auction sale of the year was held Thursday at the Walter Cooper farm north of Mokena on Wolf Road. Fully several hundred persons attended the sale. Prices were good and the bidding was spirited. The sale was conducted by two auctioneers, Chas. Erickson and Edw. Schmaedeke.

Tinley Man Honored

Boyd H. Carr's many friends will be pleased to learn of his election as first Reader of the Christian Science Society of Midlothian. Members of the church met in a business session December 7 and elected Mr. Carr as their first Reader. Mrs. Shirley Linklater, of Midlothian, was elected second Reader. Readers are elected for a term of three years and act in the capacity of ministers for their church.

They will assume their duties the third Sunday in January, the 21st, 1940. Friends are cordially invited to attend services any time. Sunday services at 11 a. m., Wednesday testimonials at 2 p. m., Sunday school at 10 a. m.

The church is located at 3636 147th St., Midlothian, Illinois.

Start Work on Rink

Work has begun on the skating rink which the Mokena Civic Ass'n. is sponsoring. The new rink is located in the Mokena school grounds.

Mokena Couple Wed 55 Years



Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hirsch, of Mokena, have been privileged to travel life's path together for over fifty years, and in honor of their 55th wedding anniversary they invited a group of their relatives and friends at their home Wednesday afternoon and evening. Members of the immediate family were entertained at a dinner in the evening.

The honored couple received many cards and expressions of felicitations on their anniversary as well as flowers and gifts. Both are in good health and active, and their friends hope they will be able to enjoy more such pleasant occasions. Both were born and raised in Mokena and have resided here most of their lives.

Death Comes To Prominent Tinley Farmer

Conrad Bettenhausen, well known farmer of Tinley Park, died Monday, December 11, at 1:45 o'clock, following a stroke of paralysis he suffered last summer.

He was the son of Christian Bettenhausen, and his wife Martha nee Sippel, was born April 29, 1871, in Orland township. He was baptized and confirmed in the German Methodist church.

April 18, 1897, he was united in marriage with Miss Philippina Barenz in the St. John's Evangelical church in Mokena. To this union nine children were born, one daughter, Mrs. Ella Martie, preceded her father in death.

Surviving are his wife, six sons: Emil, Arthur, Fred, Walter, Ben, and Milton; two daughters, Mrs. Lydia Rauch and Mrs. Edna Brown; one brother, John Bettenhausen, of Blue Island; one sister, Mrs. Anna Fulton, Tinley Park; 18 grand children and many other relatives and friends.

He attained the age of 68 years, 7 months and 12 days.

He was a member of the St. John Evangelical church in Mokena for many years and was also a member of the new church building committee.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon from the late home to the St. John Evangelical church in Mokena, with Rev. Theodore Haeefe officiating. Burial was made in the St. John cemetery south of Mokena.

No Payments--No Water

The Water committee of the Tinley Park village board has adopted a hard boiled attitude toward water delinquents. These delinquents must pay their water bills or their water supply will be shut off. All those in arrears are asked to bring their water bills and payment of same to the office of the village clerk in order not to have their water supply discontinued.

A new system of collection of the water tax was proposed. The water inspector was authorized to present a bill immediately to the water user who can pay the inspector and accept his receipt therefor. If this is not done, the bill must be paid within 10 days from date of the bill. This new ruling will become effective March 30, 1940.

Buys High Grade Bull

John J. Meier and son of Mokena recently purchased a half-interest in the eight-year-old Holstein Sire, Prince DeKol Piebe Fayne from Owen Bros., of New Lenox. This bull has done an excellent job siring good test and type in a number of herds, including the Howard Farm herd at Dundee. He is an in-bred son of Logan DeKol Piebe of high record cows and from a 600-lb. fat C. T. A. dam. His place in the Owen herd will be taken by a young bull recently secured in the Show Window sale in Chicago.

This bull from Osbornedale Farm at Derby, Conn., is from a cow with three New England championships on twice a day milking.

Edward Stehl Seriously Hurt In Tractor Accident

Edwin Stehl, aged 17, of Tinley Park, suffered serious chest injuries in a tractor accident last Saturday morning. He was driving a tractor to which a set of plows was attached. In attempting to drive thru a rather deep ditch, the levers of the plow sprang forward when the plow hit the bottom of the ditch striking the youth on the back, pinning him against the steering wheel of the tractor.

The force was so severe that he suffered a number of internal injuries. He managed to work himself out from underneath the levers and succeeded in getting the tractor in a field. He then collapsed.

The accident occurred near 175th and Cicero. A passing truck driver assisted him home. He was later taken to St. James hospital in Chicago Heights where he is still reported to be in a serious condition.

Tinley Puts On Festive Yuletide Colored Dress

As the continued mild weather and absence of snow makes the season appear to be far from Christmas, the Businessmen of Tinley Park with the co-operation of the Village Board decided to create a holiday atmosphere in Tinley Park by decorating the streets in the business sections with overhead strings of colored electric Christmas lights.

Last week the work of stringing these lights was completed and at night the village presents a real Christmas-tide effect with the myriads of colored lights along Oak Park avenue from the south end of the village limits up to the north end of the business section, as well as a number of other streets branching off from Oak Park Avenue.

The Tinley Park Businessmen are to be complimented on their progressive spirit and many favorable comments from the general public have been heard.

Board Approves Resignation of Police Magistrate

At a meeting of the Tinley Park council Tuesday night the resignation of Fred Fletcher as police magistrate and its confirmation by County Clerk Michael Flynn was read and accepted by the Tinley Park board.

As a result of this resignation a special election was ordered for February 3, 1940, for the purpose of filling the vacancy of the office mentioned.

To Hold Box Social

To be given by the St. John's Young Peoples League of Mokena, in the church basement, on Wednesday evening, December 20, at 8 p. m. There will also be a gift exchange, ladies bring ladies gift, and men bring men's gift.

Geo. J. Hacker Served As Banker and Supv. Built Up Lumber Trade

George J. Hacker, prominent in the business, political and civic affairs of Frankfort and New Lenox townships for many years, died Tuesday night in the St. James hospital in Chicago Heights where he had been a patient only one day.

Mr. Hacker had been in poor health for sometime, but his death came as a shock to his immediate family and to his large circle of friends and business associates.

Mr. Hacker was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hacker and was born in Mokena 65 years ago.

He learned the carpenter business while a young man and about forty years ago opened a furniture store and lumber yard in Mokena which he operated for quite a number of years, later selling out to Frank Mall of Aurora.

The deceased was quite active in local politics at one time. He was a member of the Mokena village board for many years, and later served as Mayor of Mokena. He also served Frankfort township as supervisor for one term.

Various business endeavors occupied his mind and time. He assisted in the organization of the Mokena State Bank, where he served as cashier following the death of Herbert Moriarty. A few years later he transferred his interest and activities to New Lenox.

In New Lenox he purchased the old Broadway property north of Hickory creek and laid out Brookwood Park subdivision which has contributed vitally to the sudden growth of that village.

Later, other subdivisions were laid out by the McIntosh Realty Co., of Chicago.

Seeing wonderful possibilities for

a lumber yard and hardware store in New Lenox Mr. Hacker soon engaged in this business which grew rapidly. He headed this concern for the past 12 years and did a very excellent business. Practically all the homes in the new areas around New Lenox were built by Mr. Hacker. He also built up a sizeable business in the lumber and hardware business in neighboring towns.

He was one of the main promoters in establishing the New Lenox State Bank and was a heavy stock holder.

About the last civic affair he took an interest in was the building of a new skating rink in Mokena, and made a liberal cash donation to this project.

Mr. Hacker maintained his residence in Mokena and also resided in New Lenox part time.

He was noted for being a shrewd business man and by his business acumen and perseverance he built up one of the largest concerns in the eastern part of Will county.

Surviving are his wife Fannie, four daughters, Mrs. Eunice Vally, Mrs. Myrtle Batson, Mrs. Evelyn Whittaker and Miss Muriel Hacker; four grandsons, one grand daughter, all of New Lenox; two brothers, Philip and Charles, of Mokena; two sisters, Mrs. Hauck and Mrs. Louise Wilde, of Joliet.

Funeral services were held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Sontag Funeral home in Joliet, with Rev. Mr. Ellis of the New Lenox Methodist church officiating. There were no church services. Burial was made in the Maplewood cemetery in New Lenox.

Lake-Cook Declares Huge Dividends

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Lake-Cook Farm Supply Company held at the main office of the company at Des Plaines December 12, 1939, the Board declared a dividend amounting to over \$40,000.00. This dividend represents six percent on preferred stock, 15 percent on Petroleum products, 6 percent on Service Station and 6 percent on feeds, seeds and other miscellaneous products, and is payable to farmers in Lake and Cook counties.

This large dividend was made possible by a large volume of business which approaches the half million dollar mark. This is one of the few companies which has been able to maintain their volume and attractive earnings during the depressed business year of 1939. The high earnings of this company have been due largely to the low overhead or the cost of doing business.

This has been brought about by the efficient operation of all its departments.

This large farm company has completed 12 successful years of business in which a substantial growth has been made from year to year and a substantial dividend has been paid to stockholders each year. The Lake-Cook Farm Supply Company services the farm trade of Lake and Cook Counties with a full line of farm supplies including Petroleum products, Feeds, Seeds and is entirely owned and operated by the farmers.

The 12th annual meeting of the Supply Company will be held at the Masonic Temple at Des Plaines, Ill., at 10 a. m. January 18th, 1940. Watch this paper for further announcements.

STORES TO REMAIN OPEN

In order to accommodate Christmas shoppers Tinley stores will remain open each evening beginning December 18 and continue to Christmas.

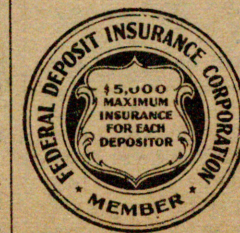


Jolly, ol' Santa . . . Prince of Good Fellows! Folks, just look at that Smile! It's a regular "blues-chaser" . . . a smile radiating irresistible Happiness! There's Good Cheer written in the merry twinkle of those sparkling eyes. Kindliness shines forth from those lovable, rosy cheeks. And that flowing white beard attests to his experience . . . years and years of it in fulfilling the Christmas dreams of young and old.

How glad we are to see him

again! Each year we've looked forward to his presence in our midst, ever since the time when first, at Mother's knee, we learned of him and of the generosity of his soul. Friend of the friendless, of rich and poor alike, his smiling face kindles anew in our hearts the true Spirit of Christmas . . . that of Peace and Good Will toward our fellow man!

And it is in that Spirit that we join Santa in wishing you an exceedingly Merry Christmas!



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How Other Lands Mark Christmas

A melting pot of the world, America has created its Christmas traditions from countless customs brought across the seas from foreign lands. In these far-away places the Yuletide symbols of bygone ages still endure. Here are a few of them:

ENGLAND:

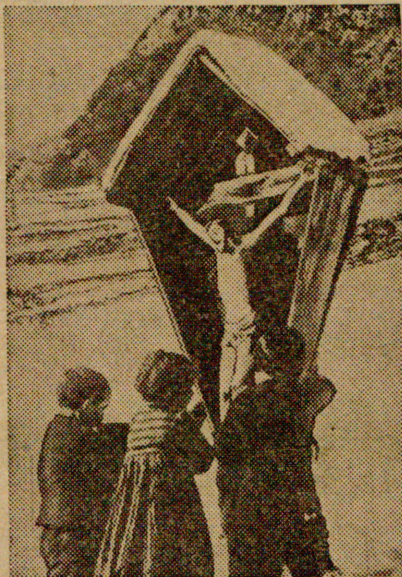
Christmas to rural Englishmen means not only the observance of Christ's birth, but also a parting of the ways between the old year and the new. Preparations are started for the next year's farm work, which begins right after Christmas. Throughout the island such trappings as the holly and mistletoe remain undying traditions, nor is any Christmas complete without the Yule log burning. On clear frosty nights the carol singers raise their voices over the countryside. To many Englishmen's despair, such American customs as the turkey dinner are gaining a foothold.

GERMANY:

Two years ago storm troopers in Berlin lit bonfires in the public squares as a revival of the pagan custom of celebrating the winter solstice. But this distraction will not stop the Christmas-loving Germans from decorating their trees in every town and village, and joining in the famed Christmas hymn, "Stille Nacht, Heilige Nacht."

ITALY:

Most Italian families celebrate Christmas eve and spend the following day quietly in their homes. Here it is a feast more for grown-ups than for children, whose merry-making day comes 12 days later, on January 6. On Christmas eve families gather around the "ceppo" or Christmas log blazes. At nine p. m.



IN ITALY—Children of the Italian Alps at Christmas Time, praying before a wayside shrine.

begins the "cenone," or big supper, at which no meat may be served. Gifts for children, which come on Epiphany, are brought not by Santa Claus but by an ugly witch whose name is "Befana."

FRANCE:

Exchange of gifts comes not on Christmas but mostly on New Year's day, which in France is the big family day for reunions of cousins, aunts and uncles. Santa Claus is "Pere Noel," who leaves his gifts in wooden shoes. Christmas eve is not spent at home but in revelry and feasting.

BELGIUM:

Neither Santa Claus nor Pere Noel visit children here—but St. Nicholas makes the rounds, surprisingly, on December 6! A quaint Belgian custom is the putting up the chimney of a few carrots for the little donkey on which St. Nicholas makes his visits.

RUSSIA:

This anti-Christian nation forbids celebration of the Yuletide but no longer compels foreign residents to import their own Christmas trees. Making an about-face, the Soviet government uses this emblem of childhood for its New Year's celebrations when Dadja Moroz, or Uncle Frost, appears with gifts for good children.

POLAND:

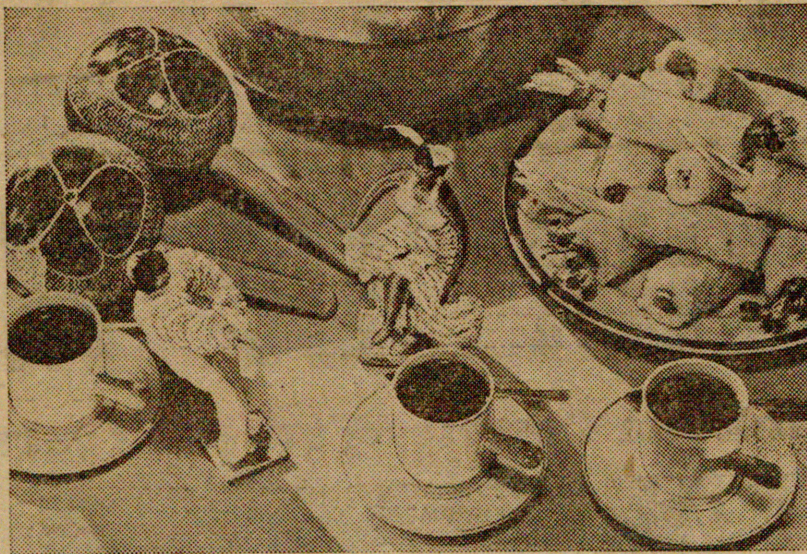
This Christmas celebration lasts until February 2 and is preceded by fasting which is not broken until the first star appears on Christmas eve. In all homes the tablecloth is placed over a layer of fragrant hay in commemoration of the manger.

HUNGARY:

St. Nicholas leaves boxes of candy for children early in December, after which the youngsters must be on their good behavior. They write letters to the angels, who, they believe, bring the presents. If they find bits of tinsel on the floor, they claim this is angel's hair and proof that the angels are everywhere, observing which boys and girls are good.

HOLY LAND:

Where it all began nearly 20 centuries ago, worshippers reverently hail each Christmas at the church of Nativity which is built over Christ's traditional birthplace. It has remained unchanged more than 1,500 years. There pilgrims gather from all over the world to intone "Glory to the New-Born King."



FOR THE NEW YEAR'S PARTY
(See Recipes Below)



Foreign Parties Are Fun

For your New Year's eve party, why not plan one that is foreign in flavor? Whether you like to sway to the rhythm of the rumba, or prefer swing, you'll find a rumba party with a menu of Cuban delicacies, full of charm for your guests.

There are all sorts of amusing, inexpensive favors to give an authentic note to your rumba party decorations—little pottery figures and tiny dolls dressed in Cuban costumes; and for noisemakers, a pair of maracas, those gourd-like rattles filled with seeds that rumba orchestras shake to emphasize the beat of the music, and tiny wooden castanets that the dancers manipulate with their hands as an accompaniment to their steps.

Refreshments, too, can be distinctly Cuban. A dish that has gained fame among visitors to Cuba is rice with chicken—"Arroz con pollo." With rolled sandwiches and plenty of coffee, you have a delicious, satisfying supper.

The Cuban idea of coffee is small cups and plenty of them, filled with strong, black coffee. If you like, use decaffeinated coffee, so that your guests can drink many cups in the Cuban manner, without fear of sleepless hours later. Remember that decaffeinated coffee needs a



little extra brewing to bring out the rich flavor.

After-Dinner Coffee or Demi-Tasse.

(Extra Strength)
Use 1½ heaping tablespoons coffee, regular grind, for each cup (½ pint) of water. Make by any method desired. If using decaffeinated coffee, drip grind, measure well-rounded tablespoon instead of heaping tablespoon.

Arroz Con Pollo.

(Chicken with rice)
Cut a chicken into small pieces and wipe dry. Melt ½ cup butter or other fat in a saucepan and fry the chicken and a cup of diced sliced ham, uncooked, until golden brown. Add a cup of canned tomatoes or tomato paste, half a dozen small olives, a teaspoon of chopped parsley and salt to taste. Then add ½ cup of rice. Brown the rice lightly, stirring constantly. Then add 1 cup of boiling water and cook slowly, in a casserole in the oven, keeping tightly covered, until chicken is tender and rice is done.

Vegetable Salad Bowl.

1 head lettuce (cut in wedges)
Raw spinach leaves (coarsely chopped)
1 cucumber (peeled and sliced)
1 green pepper (cut in rings)
1 bunch radishes (sliced)
Onion (cut in very thin slices)
Prepare vegetables and dry thoroughly in clean towel. Chill. Place all the vegetables in a salad bowl and toss together with well-seasoned french dressing. Serve at once.

Garlic Bread.

Slice French, Italian, or white bread in thick slices to, but not through, the bottom crust. Crush one clove of garlic. Add to ½ cup of butter and heat over a low flame for about 5 minutes. Strain out the garlic. Brush slices and top of the bread with the garlic butter. Heat in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees) for about 15 minutes. Serve at once.

Rolled Sandwiches.

Cut fresh bread in thin, even slices. Trim off crusts. Spread with soft butter or with any desired filling. Roll and fasten with toothpicks. Place sandwiches in a deep pan, and cover with a cloth wrung out of hot water (this must not touch the sandwiches). Let stand for 15 minutes. Just before serving, tuck a sprig of watercress into one end of each sandwich, for garnish, and remove the toothpicks.

An Italian "Help-Yourself" party is a grand idea for informal entertaining—especially when you plan to have a crowd. Cover tables with brown wrapping paper in place of linen, or use coarse cotton tablecloths in red and white checks.

In the center of each table place a basket or a wooden bowl of fruit, to be served, later, as dessert.

Menu

Italian Spaghetti
Vegetable Salad Bowl
Garlic Bread
Fresh Fruit
Coffee

Italian Spaghetti.
(Serves 8)
1 can imported Italian tomatoes (large)
1 can tomato paste
¾ cup water
¼ teaspoon soda
Salt and cayenne pepper to taste
½ cup olive oil
1 clove garlic (grated)
1½ large onions (sliced)
½ cup parsley (chopped)
1½ pounds ground meat (beef, pork and veal)
1 package spaghetti (approximately 8 ounces.)
1 cup grated Italian cheese (bulk preferable)

Strain tomatoes, add tomato paste, water, soda, salt and pepper. Place olive oil in frying pan and add garlic, onions and parsley. Fry in the oil until lightly brown. Add meat and continue to fry until it is cooked through. Combine the above two mixtures and simmer about two hours. Stir frequently.

Meanwhile, cook spaghetti until tender in large quantity boiling water (salted). Serve tomato sauce over spaghetti and top with grated cheese. Serve very hot.

Coming, Next Week!

All this talk about entertaining this way and that, and not a word so far about planning parties for the younger members of the family! Something must be done about that right away—and next week Eleanor Howe will do it—with an entire column devoted to young people's parties.

You'll find lots of recipes for holiday entertaining in the specially prepared leaflet "Holiday Recipes," by Eleanor Howe. You'll find old favorites, and brand new recipes, too, for Christmas cakes and cookies, plum puddings, and confections. To receive your copy of this leaflet, send 10 cents in coin to "Holiday Recipes," care of Eleanor Howe, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois.
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Frequent Cleaning Is

Protection for Woodwork

Interior woodwork finish will last longer and look better if subjected to frequent and thorough cleaning. It may be kept clean by periodic removal of surface dust and by preventing the formation of grease film. Woodwork should be washed or cleaned when dusting is inadequate. For cleaning varnished or painted surfaces, solvents that will attack the covering must be avoided as well as abrasive preparations.

A good quality of soap will usually do a satisfactory job. When the paint is flecked, marred, or discolored, it is necessary to resurface the woodwork.

Refrigerator Tips

Perishable food always should be placed in the refrigerator as soon as possible. Raw fruits and vegetables are best washed first under running water and the outside of milk bottles wiped with a damp cloth. Left-overs should be cooled if necessary, and placed in spotlessly tightly-covered containers to keep odors from escaping and unappetizing flavors from mixing. Food with strong odors, such as cheese if put into the refrigerator, should be kept on a top shelf.

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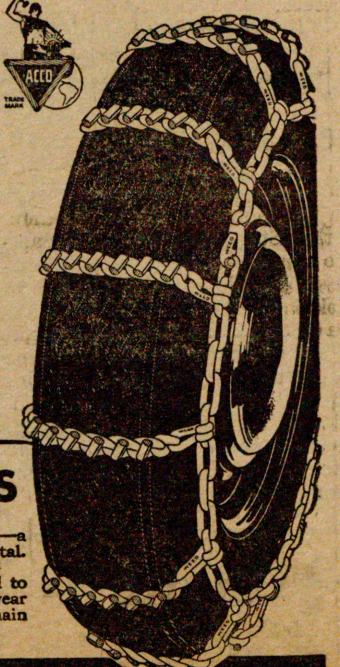


Don't Take Chances!

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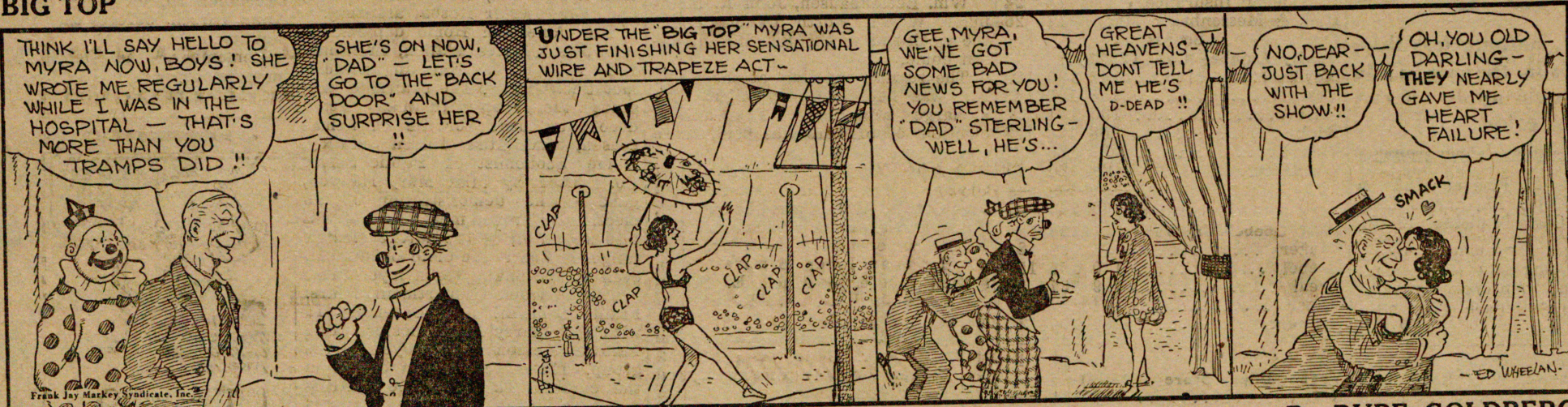
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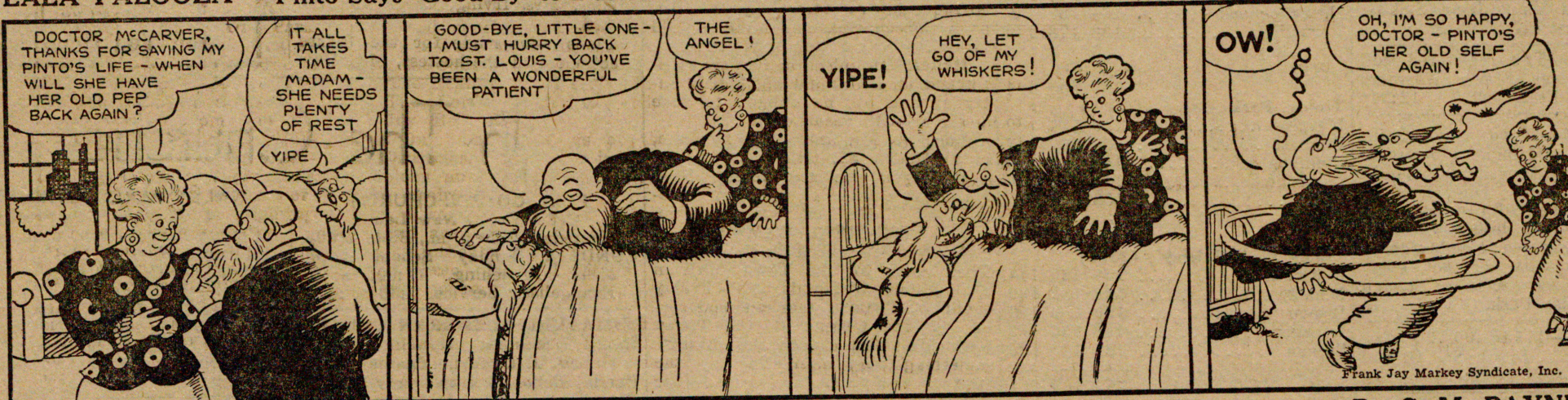
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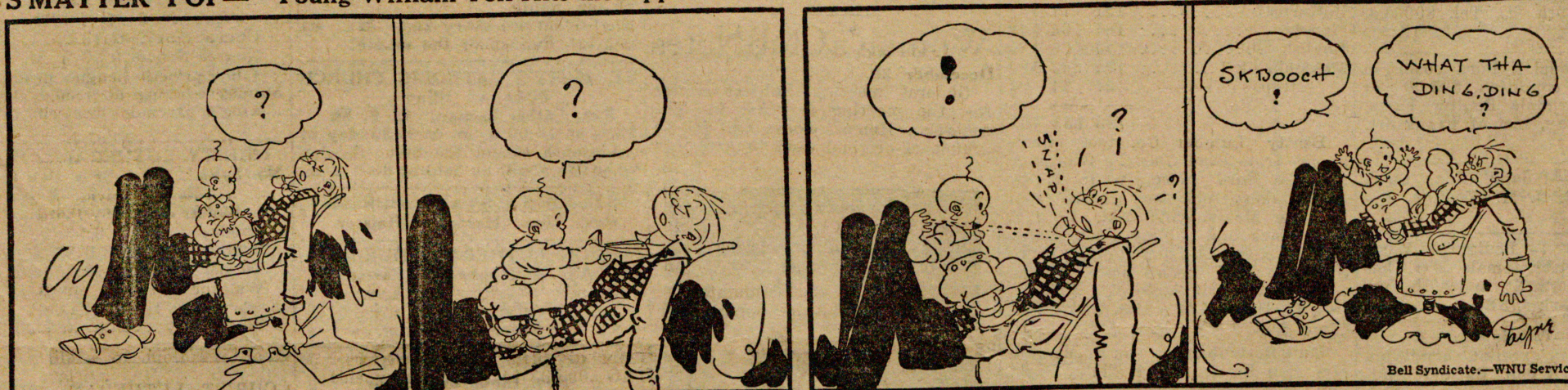
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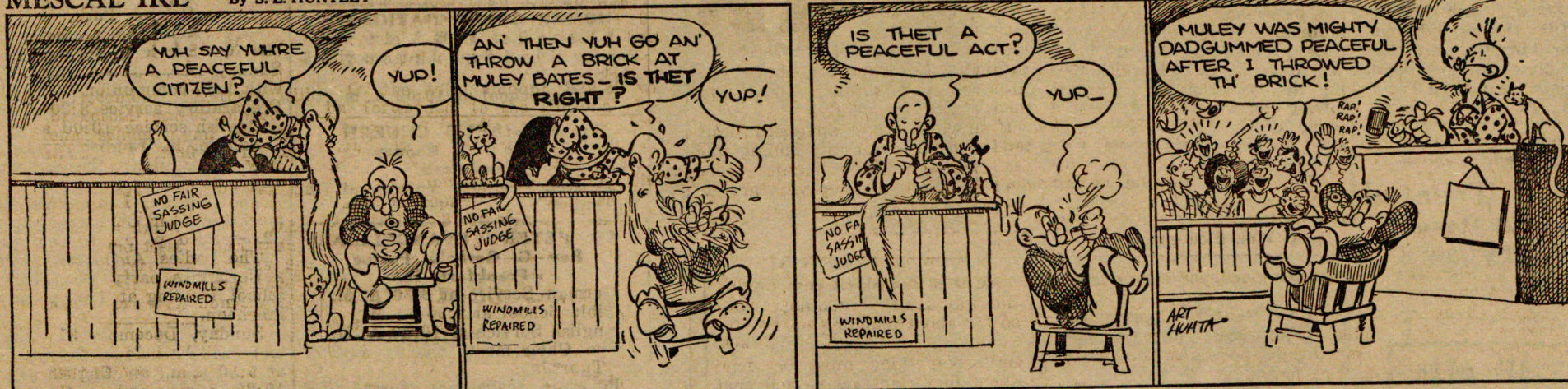
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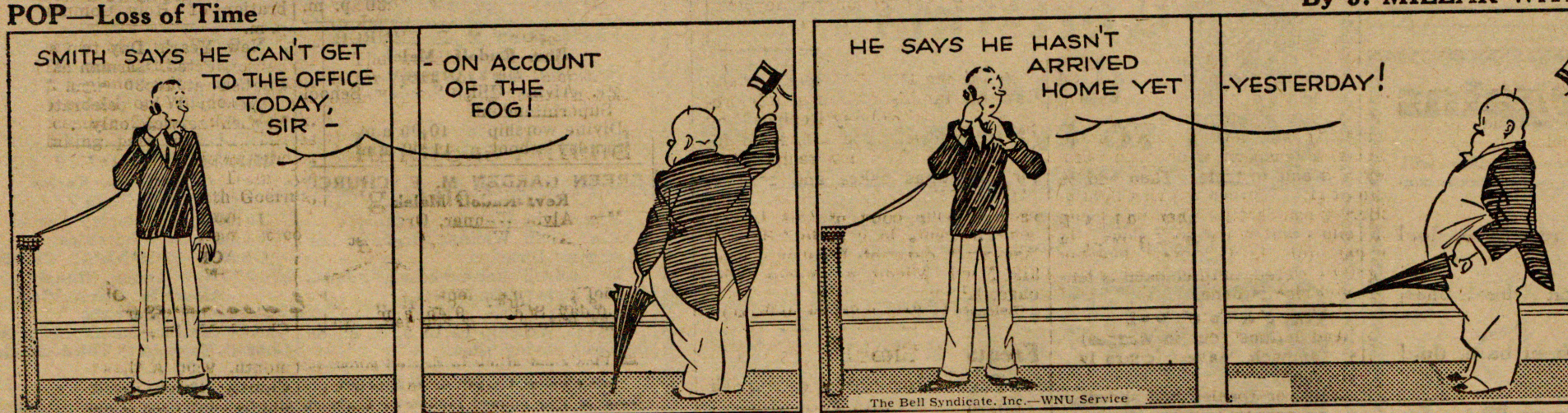
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The After Effect

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POP - Loss of Time

Cheerful News



LONG TERM

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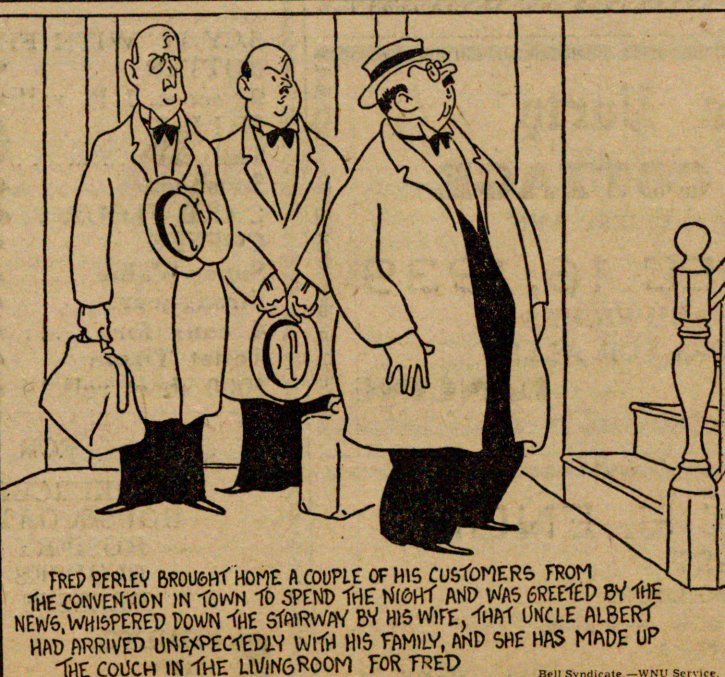
"Don't let that worry you," said the teacher. "I've got to stay till I'm 65!"

New Angle

Mrs. Jones—We need a new roof. Jones—What's the matter with the old one? It doesn't leak. Mrs. Jones—No, but I don't want to be ashamed every time an airplane flies over the house.

FOLKS NEXT DOOR

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



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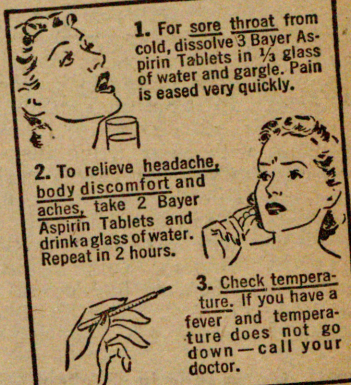
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Tinley Park Community NEWS

TINLEY PARK BOWLING LEAGUE

Standings December 15, 1939

	won	lost
Tinley Park Bakery	28	14
Tinley Park Dairy	24	18
Beatty Lumber Co.	21	21
Vogt's Dept. Store	18	24
F. Goebel Insurance	18	24
Hick & Messenbrink Mkt.	17	25

	Score
Beatty Lumber Co. (2372)	
Meyer	142 190 159
Voss	108 100 143
Crist	130 131 181
Beck	208 128 128
Rick	157 180 227
Hdep.	20 20 20

765 749 858

	Score
Fred Goebel Insurance (2184)	
Rooker	85 103 129
Goebel	150 150 150
Isreal	119 157 174
Mager	164 137 169
Niemann	202 170 125

720 717 740

	Score
Vogt's Dept. Store (2360)	
Kranz	157 201 200
Eichelberg	155 135 124
A. Schoeneck	120 145 138
N. Schoeneck	166 123 155
Bernadini	160 178 179
Hdep.	8 8 8

766 790 804

	Score
Tinley Park Dairy (2521)	
Murphy	190 154 189
Bartlett	226 161 147
Steinhagen	138 121 148
Casterline	194 151 170
Davis	158 179 195

906 766 849

	Score
Tinley Park Bakery (2313)	
Ceithaml	148 120 114
Schanz	146 132 190
Brown	150 150 150
Roecker	188 136 189
Stemm	165 167 168

797 705 811

	Score
Hick & Messenbrink Mkt. (2410)	
Funk	125 134 132
Batterman	131 177 151
Mancke	167 154 143
English	144 176 129
Messenbrink	192 203 180
Hrep.	24 24 24

783 868 759

Beatty Lumber Co. took three games from Fred Goebel's Insurance to take third place, while Tinley Park Bakery took two games from Hick & Messenbrink Mkt. to hold first place and Tinley Park Dairy took two games from Vogt's Dept. Store to hold second place. Dollar winners were Messenbrink's 575 series, Bartlett's 534 series, Rick's 227 game and Beck's 208 game.

Paul Bettenhausen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bettenhausen, Tinley Park, and Miss Nancy Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brown, of Midlothian, were quietly married in the parsonage of the Tinley Park Methodist church on Saturday afternoon, November 25, at 3 o'clock, the Rev. L. E. Weinreich performing the ceremony. A reception following the wedding was held at the home of the bride. The newlyweds are making their home with the groom's parents.

Mrs. George Rowden is taking a rest cure for the improvement of her health.

Mrs. Wm. Rick entertained a num-

ber of friends last Thursday in honor of her birthday. Bunco was played and refreshments were served. All had a pleasant time.

John Fay is enjoying a month vacation from his duties in the office of the U. S. Army in Chicago.

Wm. Bettenhausen, John R. Meidinger, Wishik, North Dakota, spent the week-end in the Ben Bettenhausen home.

The regular meeting of the R. N. A., was held Tuesday night with a large attendance. The annual election of officers was held, those elected are:

Oracle, Mrs. E. Chapman; Past Oracle, Mrs. Anna Messenbrink; Vice-Oracle, Mrs. Akins; Chancellor, Mrs. Ernest Rice; Receiver, Mrs. Wm. Wannenmacher; Recorder, Mrs. A. Hopman; Inner Sentinel, Mrs. Anfield; Outer Sentinel, E. Stockman; Marshall, N. A. Messenbrink; Manager, Mrs. Cushman.

The members were liberal for the pantry shower. There was a "Hankie" shower for Mrs. Chapman, and she received a whole bushel basket of them. After all the excitement was over, coffee and home made coffee cake was served by Mesdames A. Messenbrink and M. Rice. All attending had a wonderful time.

Mrs. Helen Johnston had the misfortune to break her right arm Saturday and will be obliged to take a six months vacation.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Dunham, on December 12, twin sons.

Work on the new Tinley Park Methodist church is progressing nicely. Part of the brick walls are up.

PING-PONG GAMES

Are you interested in Ping-Pong? Then come to the Town Hall in Tinley Park Wednesday and Friday evenings. These games are sponsored by the League of the Tinley Park Methodist church and promise something very interesting by the first of the year.

Marvin Bettenhausen is chairman of the group.

Woman's Club Notes

December 20.

General meeting. Subject matter for the meeting is "Art in The American Home." There will be an exhibit of original work in Art, both



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Mrs. Thomas Gifford, Third District president, will be the special honored guest of the day.

Social hour will feature Xmas feasting. Mrs. J. C. Funk is the Social Hour hostess chairman, with Mrs. Wm. Funk, Mrs. Anna Hirsch, and Mrs. Lester Hesbal assisting.

The American Home department with Mrs. Charles Wallen, chairman, and Mrs. R. C. Hannum, hostess, met December 8. The chairman presented the group with many home decoration ideas for the Christmas season, and Miss Eileen Malloy, Home Economist of Public Service Co., assisted by Miss Mary Hannon, gave a fine demonstration of an electrically broiled meal. Grilling was also shown on the miniature electric range. It was a complete oven meal, even to the baking of a layer cake. The Garden Department, Mrs. Frank Baldwin, met December 12 with Mrs. Harry Dean, hostess. Mrs. Baldwin's lesson was enjoyed by the group. There were seven entries in the contest. The decoration effects were achieved through mediums ranging from cellophane to evergreens. Mrs. Irving Stover won the award.

Plans were made for the future meetings, and the hostess, Mrs. Har-

ry Dean, served a beautiful Christmas tea, with open-faced sandwiches in Christmas manner.

December 13 the Tinley Park Woman's club was a guest of the Chicago Heights club. It was a first occasion and our ten members who attended were much pleased with the welcome, the beautiful tea table, and greatly interested in the lecture of Mrs. McGee of the Adult Education council. A local young soloist offered two fine numbers.

If you intend to bring a gift for Park Ridge, please have it here by December 20, or hand it to Mrs. Anna Hirsch before the December meeting.

Remember, the December club meeting begins at 10:30 a. m. for the Literature department.



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Mrs. Paul Mark, Organist.
Mr. Alvin Hill, Sunday School Superintendent.
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Sunday school at 11:00 a. m.

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The Walther League Society will meet for their Christmas party, Dec. 22, at 8:00 p. m., in the school.

The Ladies Aid society will have a Christmas party Dec. 28th in the school, starting at 1:00 p. m. with a luncheon.

Sunday, December 31, three services will be held, a German service at 9:30 a. m., an English service at 10:30 a. m., and a German New Year's Eve service with the celebration of Holy Communion at 7 p. m.

New Year's Day two services will be conducted. German at 9:30 a. m., English at 10:30 a. m. The Lord's supper will be celebrated in the English service only.

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Church school, 10:00 a. m.
Service on Holy Days as announced by the Vicar.

Sunday, September 10th, 1939.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"God the Preserver of Man" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, December 10.

The Golden Text was, "The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore" (Psalms 121:8).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "And the Lord shall deliver me from every evil work, and will preserve me unto his heavenly kingdom: to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen" (11 Timothy 4:18).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "In divine Science, where prayers are mental, all may avail themselves of God as 'a very present help in trouble.' Love is impartial and universal in its adaptation and bestowals. It is the open fount which cries, 'Ho, every one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters'" (p. 12).

FRANKFORT

Mrs. Herbert Kohlhaugen

The Sunday school of St. Peter's Evang. and Ref. church held their monthly business meeting on Wednesday, December 6. The various Christmas committees were appointed. The newly elected officers are: President, Mr. Wesley Hollstein; vice President, Miss Isabella Harmening; Secretary, Mrs. Wm. Wisch-

over; Treasurer, Miss Bernice Weichbrodt.

The Martha Sewing Circle of St. Peter's Evang. and Ref. church held their annual Christmas party on December 7 in the social room of the church. After a short business meeting the group sang the old familiar Christmas carols. Mrs. Edward Dralle gave an interesting reading entitled "The End of The Road." A gift exchange was made after which a delicious luncheon was served. The decorations were carried out in the Christmas idea, with Santa Claus, candles, trees, and angels. Everyone greatly enjoyed the event.

The Ever Faithful group of the Green Garden Methodist church en-

joyed a missionary talk given by Mrs. Malek on Sunday, December 10, at their meeting. A fine musical program was also given and tea was served.

Mrs. Malek gave an interesting missionary lecture in her home to a group of young people from Joliet last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Heusner and Jeanett visited in Onarga with their son Warren, on Sunday, December 11.

On Saturday, December 9, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Folkers gave a birthday dinner in honor of the later's mother, Mrs. Anna Kampe, who was eighty years old. The cut flowers used in decorating were brought by Mrs. Folkers when she visited her

aunts in the West. The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kampe, Chicago Heights; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kampe and daughter, Selma, Springfield; Mr. William Kampe and Wilma; Mr. and Mrs. Adam Heusner and Jeanett; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Mager; Mr. Ben Mager, all of Frankfort.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kohlhaugen entertained relatives in their home Sunday, December 10, in honor of their daughter Annette, who was celebrating her 17th birthday. A pot luck supper was enjoyed.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Koenig was held on Saturday, December 9, at 2 p. m., from the West End funeral home, Chicago Heights, with burial in Rose Hill cemetery, Green Garden. Mrs. Koenig was the wife of the late Adolph Koenig, and is mourned by her children: Mrs. Margaret Hoecker, Adolph Koenig, Jr., Mrs. Christina Eggert, Mrs. Louise Ross, Mrs. Matilda Brandt, Mrs. Susan Wise and William Koenig, 17 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Koenig was well known here from previous years.

The Independent basketball teams were defeated on Sunday by the South Side Aces, of Joliet. On Sunday they will play Hazel Crest teams.

A group of about twenty men met on Monday night in the gymnasium and organized a recreation activity. They will meet every Monday and will enjoy indoor sports.

Miss Lola Scheer entertained the Bachelor Button club in her home on December 12.

PALOS PARK

By Miss Ruby Stockdale

Literary Discussion Group will meet in the library on December 27. Mrs. Alfred Paskley will be in charge of the discussion.

Emil Witt will be in charge of the village snow plow this winter.

The King's Daughters, an organization for the very young miss, have given scrap books to Mrs. Irving Pronger to be taken to Oak Forest. Miss Charlene Tamlyn is the sponsor and the club meets every Friday afternoon in the home of their sponsor.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Baker announce the engagement of their daughter, Henrietta, to Mr. Lawrence P. Poorman, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Poorman, Worth, Ill. The wedding will take place December 30 in the parsonage of the Palos Park Community church, Rev. Rawson officiating. A short honeymoon to St. Louis will be taken.

Service League was entertained last week in the home of Mrs. Joel L. Collins, of Palos Dells.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bodinschatz of Lemont spent Saturday evening with friends in Palos.

Palos Boy Scouts spent last weekend at Camp Kiwanis. The boys met every Friday evening in the basement of the Palos Park Community church.

Parent Teachers Association of the Palos school are planning to hold an annual Christmas party for the children. Mrs. William Fuhrberg has been appointed to conduct this social event, as there will be games, gifts, candy, and other enjoyable Christmas frolics. A lighted Christmas tree will also brighten up the party.

Palos Girl Scouts are gathering up a basket to be given to a needy family at Christmas time. The girls meet in the basement of the Palos Park Community church. Three girls have recently been added to the troop: Regina and Lois Wazniack and Rosemary Funsten.

Charles Heidel has volunteered to move the books in the library to

its new place in the village hall sometime this week. The village hall has also provided us with a place for volumes.

The Christmas program of the Sunday school department of the Palos Park Community church has been scheduled for December 17, at 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Oscar Johnson and Mrs. J. W. Mahaffey will give their aid in making this program possible. There will be the usual recitations, and of course there will be a lighted Christmas tree to brighten up the spirit of the event. It is rumored around that maybe Santa Claus will appear to distribute candy to all the good youngsters.

A contest will be sponsored by the village for the decorating and lighting up during the Christmas season.

Palos Spoolsters, craft and sewing club, are planning a Christmas party. The event will be given in two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Olsen, of La Grange, and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Simmer, along with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bodinschatz, Lemont, spent an enjoyable evening visiting with friends in Palos last Saturday evening.

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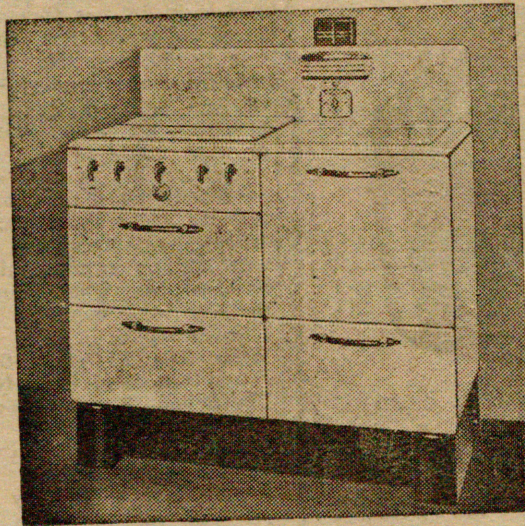
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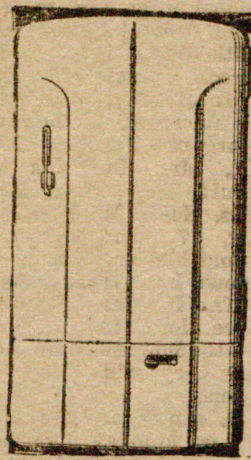
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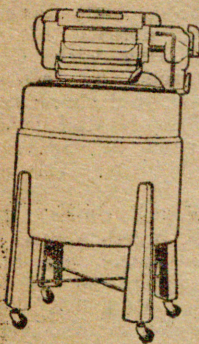
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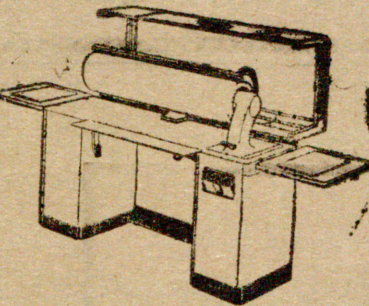
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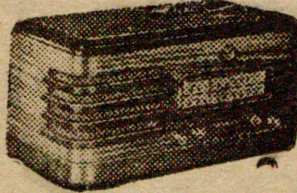
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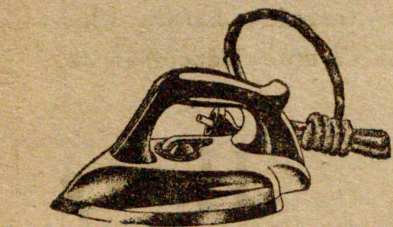
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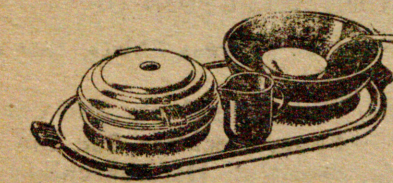
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Education Essential To Success of Democracy

By Walter H. Gaumnitz

In any country public education is of primary concern to the people; in a democracy it is a matter of life and death. A democracy cannot survive unless the voters who control the government have sufficient education to vote intelligently. But more than that, if democracy is to succeed, the control of its schools must be kept by the people. In the United States the task of keeping the schools close to the people is entrusted to the hands of school boards. To become a school board member is to assume an important public duty.

Education is America's greatest single public undertaking; indeed, only five industries—agriculture, railroads, oil electricity, and lumber represent a capital investment more valuable than public school property. Each year the people of the United States spend two and a quarter billion dollars to provide instruction for their children. Thirty million young people, approximately a fourth of the total population, annually attend the schools.

To direct this vast educational undertaking the people have chosen nearly half a million school board members (directors, trustees), to serve on 127,000 school boards (far more school boards than are needed). Collectively, these school boards have the future of the Nation in their keeping. Not only are the responsibilities of the school board large in terms of numbers of children, teachers, and schools involved; the opportunities for service to the Nation are unlimited. For the most part school board members serve their schools without a salary; they regard it as a civic duty, a challenging service to democracy.

What Is The School Board's Chief Task?

While the final responsibility for providing and maintaining schools rests with the people, the residents of a given community do not try to manage their schools themselves. Basic responsibilities for public education have been placed by the people, first, upon the several state governments. These governments have in turn fixed certain procedures for choosing representatives of the local districts to serve as school boards and have given to these boards the care of the local school property, the expenditure of current school funds and certain other broad powers relating to the control of public education.

Since school board members are laymen who are not as a rule trained in what or how to teach children most effectively, and who know comparatively little about the details of school administration, their first and most important duty is to find and employ some person who is trained for this work and into whose hands they can confidently trust the multiplicity of duties involved in providing and maintaining good schools. If the task of employing an able and thoroughly trained school head has been well done, the duties of school boards become fairly simple. For the most part they need only to determine the broad policies under which they want their schools to operate and to see to it that the experts in charge carry these policies under which they want their schools to operate and to see to it that the experts in charge carry these policies into effect honestly and efficiently. Naturally, when unusual situations arise, or when problems of far-reaching importance occur, the school boards must determine the course of action.

A school board, therefore, has a relationship to the schools similar to that of the board of directors to a hospital. They are the trustees, but they do not themselves do the technical work. They employ specialists to do this. No hospital board member would undertake to tell the doctors how or when they should perform an appendicitis operation or what ought to be the diet of an anemic child; in the same manner no school board member will undertake to decide how or when a given school subject should be taught; what textbooks and equipment should be used; or what should be done to solve the behavior problems of a given child.

What The Efficient School Board Does and Does Not Do

1. It transacts its business in board meetings at a regular time and place.
2. It acts as a body or on authority of the board as a whole.
3. It employs the best superintendent, principal, or teacher it can get and dismisses him only for incompetence and similar causes.
4. After careful study of all the factors involved and upon advice of trained leadership it adopts rules and regulations to govern most of the important school situations.
5. A large portion of the board meeting is used to decide important questions of policy.
6. It sees to it that a carefully planned budget is made in advance and that other accepted business practices are instituted to care automatically and effectively for the purchase of services and supplies, as well as for most other problems of finance.
7. The superintendent or other person in charge of the schools nominates all employees and recommends dismissals; the board approves in most cases.
8. Problems of salary, tenure, promotions, leave, etc., are carefully studied and definite policies adopted.

9. It leaves the assignment of specific duties, the transfer and the supervision of employees, to the person administratively in charge of the schools.

10. It supports the school head loyally in the performance of his duties. Disagreements of policy are taken up in board meetings and all the facts determined.

11. It requires adequate reports concerning business and financial matters, educational achievements, and the efficiency of employees.

12. It insists that all accounts be audited at regular intervals by certified accountants.

13. It studies its building needs in advance, acquires desirable sites, and adopts a sound policy for financing new school buildings.

14. It secures the services of experts in planning and building new school plants.

15. The board is careful to conform to the school laws fixed by the state.

16. The board makes every effort to determine the educational desires and needs of the people by holding hearings on important issues, inviting criticism, and the like.

17. The board keeps the public informed about its policies and makes frequent reports on school activities.

18. The school board is alert to better types of school organization and school administration. To serve the best interests of the people it will take steps to enlarge the district or to seek its own abandonment.

The School Board Does Not:

1. It does not consider official matters any time, any where.

2. It does not meddle in school affairs as individuals.

3. It does not employ in its schools almost anyone who has the proper license who can be secured at a low salary or who is a special friend of a board member or of other influential citizens.

4. It does not "run the schools" itself or attempt to solve its various problems on the basis of personal interests.

5. It does not use its time approving bills, studying the catalogues, or wrangling over the best way to teach long division.

6. It does not attempt to conduct the business of the schools without a budget or to buy supplies in small quantities or upon the recommendations of high-pressure salesmen. It does not authorize separately each purchase to be made or each bill to be paid.

7. It does not investigate applications, make appointments, or dismiss employees without the assistance of the school superintendent or principal.

8. It does not play favorites or leave these matters to chance or personal interpretation.

9. The board, or its individual members, does not, as a rule, directly give instructions to the teacher and other employees of the schools.

10. It does not, out of board meetings, criticize or countermand the action of the school head. It does not undermine his effectiveness.

11. Few reports are required and the board pays little attention to the reports received.

12. It does not leave any doubt in the public mind concerning the honesty of school expenditures or the accuracy of school accounts.

13. It does not buy "left-over" sites, or connive with speculators in buying sites or in contracting for new structures; nor does it contract debts carelessly or without plans for liquidating the outstanding as well as the new obligations.

14. It does not itself plan new buildings or supervise their construction.

15. It does not ignore legal provisions or frequently get into legal difficulties.

16. It does not assume to "know best" in all matters or to adopt policies arbitrarily, or even contrary to the wishes of the public.

17. It does not deal with school affairs as if they were secret or their own private concern.

18. It does not let tradition or self-interest obscure its vision. If greater efficiency and better educational opportunities for boys and girls demand it the school board will not hesitate to recommend a new and better administrative organization even if the result is its own dissolution.

Questions For Discussion

1. What are some of the most far-reaching problems which your school board has met and solved?
2. How does the procedure and conduct of your school board measure up when checked against "dos" and "don'ts" suggested here for school board success?

ORLAND PARK

Miss Lucille Cooper gave a "Backward Party" at her home last Sunday evening for her Sunday school class. Games were played and the nine girls reported a very enjoyable evening in spite of being dressed backwards, walking backwards, and eating their ice cream before eating their sandwiches on chairs turned backs to the table. The girls were amused by the puzzling invitations and especially liked the idea of spelling their words into sentences rather than saying words.

Last week Judge Ray Brennan, fined a hunter from Berwyn \$5 and cost for hunting in the village limits of Orland Park. The hunter tried to show by means of maps of the community that he was not in the village limits, but he did not know that the limits extend further than he realized.

Monday night Judge Brennan heard an assault and battery case, in which Wm. Schroder was involved. The latter was fined \$10 and cost on his plea of guilty.

Postmaster A. J. Tooley figured

in an auto accident one night last week while coming home from a postmaster's banquet in Chicago. The accident occurred at 159th and Western Ave. Mr. Tooley escaped injury.

The Walther League of the Christ Lutheran church is making plans to present a play sometime in February.

The Community Sales which are being held at 159th and Wolf Road each week are being quite well patronized. The next sale will be held Saturday afternoon December 23rd.

Mrs. Wm. Nicolai who was a recent patient in Silver Cross hospital has returned home and is improving nicely.

The Orland Park Royal Neighbors will hold their next meeting December 28th at which time a Christmas gift exchange will be held.

Chas. Freeman New Public Service Chairman

Charles Y. Freeman was elected Chairman of Public Service Company of Northern Illinois at a meeting of the Board of Directors of that company. He fills the office left vacant by the death of James Simpson.

Since 1932, Mr. Freeman has devoted practically all of his time to legal and corporate matters affecting the Commonwealth Edison group of companies. For the past two years, as General Counsel of the Commonwealth Edison Company and of the Public Service Company of Northern Illinois, he has been actively engaged in assisting Mr. Simpson in the management of the properties, and in the Chairman's absence has been the directing head of these organizations. His selection by the directors is interpreted as a continuation of the management policies initiated by James Simpson.

Mr. Freeman has practiced law in Chicago since 1902. For many years as a member of the firm of Dent, Dornys and Freeman, he engaged in general law practice. He then became a member of the firm of Wilson and McIlvaine, which was appointed counsel for the Commonwealth Edison Company in June, 1932. He has now resigned from membership in that firm.

Mr. Freeman is a director of The Fair, A. B. Dick company, The Buda company, and the Reynolds Wire company. He is associated with a number of civic and charitable activities, and is a member of prominent clubs in Chicago and New York.

Charles Yoe Freeman was born at Lockport, New York, on March 29, 1877. He was graduated from Princeton university, and received his LL. B. degree at Northwestern university. He was admitted to the bar in 1902. Mr. Freeman married S. Esther Dodge in 1906, and their three children are Charles Yoe, Jr., Henry Dodge and Donald Henry.

Ill. Federation of Women's Clubs to Sponsor Contest

Members of the clubs in the Third Congressional District, Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, who are inclined in the art of writing, has an opportunity to try their skill in writing an essay on the subject "My Club Work and Where It Can Lead Me," and enter it in the contest sponsored by the literature and library service department of the district.

Mrs. Joseph J. Jaeger, 319 W. Marquette Road, district chairman of literature and library service, announces that Florence Bourke Ellis, News Commentator and Book Stylist, through her high esteem for the work being done in this department, has offered several volumes of her favorite author, Charles Dickens, to be given as first prize. It was through an essay of this sort which she herself wrote for a woman's club contest that she became conscious of her ability to put thoughts into words. She urges all club members so inclined to try out this field. The essay is not to exceed three thousand words and should be typewritten.

Other contests in creative writing consisting of a short story, poetry, and an essay in which the contestant may use any subject she chooses will be conducted. Both the short story and the essay should not exceed three thousand words.

Entries are to be sent to the chairman, Mrs. Jaeger, not later than February 1, 1940, at which time the judges will select the winners. Awards will be made by Mrs. Jaeger at the Annual Meeting of the district on April 17, 1940, at the Calumet City Woman's Club.

Adoption Notice

State of Illinois, County of Will, ss. To All Whom it may Concern:

Take Notice, that on the 6th day of December A. D. 1939, a petition was filed by Michael D. Vargo, Jr., and Katherine Vargo, in the County Court of Will County for the adoption of a child named Richard Beck.

Now unless you appear within twenty days after date of this notice and show cause against such application, the petition shall be taken as confessed and a decree of adoption entered.

Joseph H. Hartley, Clerk.
Dale G. Nicholson, Attorney for Petitioners.

Can't Be Healthy or Happy With Out Water

By Harriet Morgan Fyler

We couldn't be healthy or happy without water. We couldn't even live without it. But water however necessary, has one quality which often complicates existence beyond all reason. This is its tendency to dissolve some of all substances with which it comes in contact.

Let's be technical, for just a paragraph. No substance is absolutely insoluble in water. Thus water flowing over and thru soil absorbs into solution the compounds of calcium and magnesium from limestone, magnesite, and gypsum deposits. Where

this happens, the water becomes what we call "hard." The more of those deposits it absorbs, the harder it gets. Those of us who live where the water is very hard know the results only too well. In other regions, either because we are used to them or they are not quite so noticeable, we may overlook those results. But they are there, nevertheless. Hard water in any degree is hard on soap, hard on clothes, hard on skin, hard on hair, hard on foods, hard on the pocketbook, and hard on the temper!

How? Start with the familiar ring around the bathtub. As soon as we put soap into hard water, that soap reacts with the calcium and magnesium content of the water to form sticky, insoluble calcium and magnesium soaps, curds to us. We can see them floating around on the surface, clinging in a scummy layer

to the sides of the basin or bathtub. There's our ring. These curds have no cleansing power, they merely cling tenaciously to whatever they touch.

Suppose its clothes we are washing. To make up for the soap wasted in curds, we have to use more soap, rub harder to get them clean. That is hard on clothes. Meanwhile, those useless curds are clinging to the fabrics, be they silk, linen, cotton, or wool. That's why clothes which have been washed, then laid away for a time often have a rancid smell. When clothes washed in hard water are ironed, the clinging curds melt into the fibres of the fabric, making them stiff and brittle, causing them to give and break much sooner. That's hard on the pocketbook. Finally, particularly when the cloth is ironed, the curd deposits cause discoloration. That is hard on our social standing. Have you ever heard of "tattle-tale-gray"?

Hard water is also the skin's worst enemy, responsible for much chapped, coarsened skin, scalliness and many cases of "dish-pan hands." Soap curds moreover, cling to the

skin as to all else, causing irritations, clogged and enlarged pores and other troubles. Beware of the hard water shampoo. Soap curds also cling to the hair, making it sticky and stringy, with a slight musty odor. That is why so many beauty parlors use only softened water, or at least special rinses which reduce the bad effects of hard water.

Hard water is also a poor cook. With some foods it has no effect. With others it means the difference between tasty results, full-flavored, naturally colored, and a tough, unappetizing dish. Peas, beans, and lentils, for example, retain their original color and flavor if cooked in soft water. Canners learned this secret long ago. And many housewives habitually toss a pinch of baking soda into the water in which they are cooking vegetables. The soda acts as a partial softener.

But color and flavor are not the only considerations. The vegetable nutrients, the vitamins, are affected also. During a standard cooking period with hard water, about one-half the Vitamin C content is dissolved

into the water. If the vegetable is cooked too slowly, as often happens when the water is hard, even more Vitamin C is lost.

Another astonishing fact is that the best tea and coffee are made with soft water, and with as much as one-third less tea and coffee!

When hard water is heated, it develops a new means of annoying. It deposits a cement-like scale on the surfaces between it and the heat. You've seen this scale in your teakettle. It also forms in boilers, hot water piping, iron, steel, copper, or brass. Wherever found, it reduces heat transmission. It shortens the life of cooking utensils. It causes burned out heating coils, and increases the cost of heating water. It chokes the water flow in piping, clogs the shower head. It causes frequent plumbing bills for keeping things in order, and eventually it brings about the expensive necessity of tearing out and replacing old piping.

Because hard water soap curds cling just as tenaciously to the insides of pipes as to the bathtubs and to sinks, they cause sluggish waste pipes and clogged drains.

All sorts of means of softening hard water have been tried, mechanical, chemical, and sleight of hand—but the only adequate means is one that completely rids the water of those substances which make it hard. One of the most effective known is the zeolite softener, in which the hard water entering the house passes thru a specially prepared bed of material (zeolite mineral) which removes bodily every vestige of hardness. Such a unit installed in the basement guarantees the softness of every drop used in the house.

By washing, bathing, cleaning, and cooking with this completely softened water, you actually save money, enough to pay for the unit in a comparatively short time. And we hazard the guess that the family will be much happier for having to endure no more that embarrassing question "Now who left that ring in the bath tub?"

her 500 club in her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Elmer Cooper is ill in his home with the flu.

Mrs. Linda Eggert, who underwent an operation for appendicitis recently, is improving in her home.

Mrs. Mary Mau attended a dinner in the home of friends and neighbors at a get-together meeting last Wednesday in Joliet.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Spiess, of Mokena, Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Spiess, of Chicago, and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Creer, of Orland Park, were dinner guests in the home of Harvey Spiess, in Frankfort, Sunday.

LINCOLN ESTATES

Elizabeth Goering

Saturday night Mrs. Larsen and Mr. Larsen's uncle from North Dakota, were visitors at the Larsen home. Other guests were also present.

The visitors at the Hermanack home were Mr. and Mrs. E. Spracka and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Cubida.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Griswold and Mr. and Mrs. C. Fisher spent Sunday in Crown Point, Ind., where they attended the Bible Presbyterian church.

Mr. and Mrs. Skart of Chicago visited the E. Goering home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Flora and son Jimmie; Mrs. Mary Flora, Mrs. Nancy Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. N. Gasmehle spent Sunday with the Cochran family.

Mrs. Norma Flora called Sunday at the Griswold and Davidson homes.

The pupils of Mrs. Davidson's piano class will give a recital in the Ann Rutledge school December 20, at eight o'clock in the evening. All are invited to come.

Indian Trail Scouts To Hold Annual Meeting

Before we realize it, another year rolls by. 1940 will soon be here. It is again time for our Annual District Business meeting.

The meeting will be held at the school at Mokena, Illinois, Wednesday, December 20, at 7:30 p.m.

A special feature of the program will be the installation of the new Scout Troop No. 40, of Mokena.

You are a voting member of the Potawatomi Trails Council either (1) by virtue of the fact that you represent your Troop, Pack, or Ship on behalf of the institution sponsoring it or (2) you were elected as a member at large on the Council at the Annual Business meeting of the Potawatomi Trails Council held last January.

Only voting members, of course, will be privileged to vote on the election of officers and other items of business which will begin promptly at 7:30 p.m. The installation of the new Troop will follow the business meeting. You are invited to bring along other members of your committee and also fathers and mothers of Scouts and friends of Scouting.

Let's make this a big meeting for the Indian Trail District.

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GIRL SCOUT NEWS

The Girl Scouts are finishing their activities of art craft and are making rapid progress on their way to second class scouting.

During the holidays we plan to pass home-making tests such as bed making, cooking, and table setting. The following make up Troop No. 1 in Mokena: Helen Eggerton, Barbara Gee, Lois Guindon, Marjorie Marti, Virginia Nebeker, Catherine Ried, Hyacinth Rinke, Jean Rueckert, Jean Shevlin, and Marion Stork.

The Girl Scout staff is Mrs. Albert Leoppel, Leader; Miss Ada Semmler, assistant Leader; Catherine Reid, Lieutenant; Jean Rueckert, Treasurer; Virginia Nebeker, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Dammann, of Joliet, were guests in the Bert Spiess home last Wednesday.

The condition of Mrs. Anna Hall, who sustained a fractured shoulder a few weeks ago in a fall in her home, and has since been in Silver Cross hospital, is improving so nicely that she expects to come home tomorrow.

The Girl Scouts, under the leadership of Mrs. Albert Sappel, and her assistant, Miss Ada Semmler, met in the school Tuesday evening. Through the generosity of the Mokena Civic Association, they will be taken as a group to see the Winter Circus at the Amphitheatre at Chicago which the Shriners put on each winter. This trip will be enjoyed during the Christmas holidays.

At the Boy Scout meeting Monday night, Mr. True Daniels, Tinley Park, Scout Executive of this district, was present and spoke to the group. They are making rapid progress in their work. They will also attend the Shriner's Winter Circus in Chicago during the holidays as a treat from the Mokena Civic Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Spiess, of Frankfort, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Spiess were dinner guests in the home of Alvin Spiess last Tuesday.

Mrs. R. A. Bechstein entertained

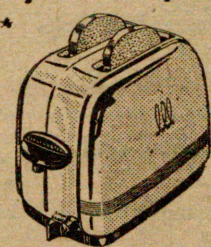
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DILEMMA?

Farmers Shun Expansion in Wartime
But They Hear 'Be Prepared' Warning

By GEORGE BRADFORD

(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

CHICAGO. — What will the war do to American agriculture?

That question has been raised with growing insistence ever since Adolf Hitler's gray-clad legions went blitz-krieging into Poland. Repeal of the arms embargo brought it still farther into the foreground.

For the extent to which America's vast reservoir of foods and fibers is used has become a matter of close concern to everyone on or near a farm.

Three fairly definite answers have emerged, but each is conditioned by a large "if"—if the European war drags on:

1. The war will create a rising demand at home for American farm products, with an upward price level.

2. It will increase the demand from abroad.

3. It will likely bring a rise in land values.

War's stimulating impact on industry will soon be felt on the farm, authorities believe. Already men are returning to work, steel production is rising, dividends are increasing, stocks and commodities are going up. Americans will soon buy more and eat more because they'll have more money to spend. More cereals, fats, meats and woolens will be needed—and at higher price levels.

Can't Hold Two Jobs.

Let's look at Europe. Despite 1939's record-breaking world's wheat crop (5,290,000,000 bushels, exclusive of Russia and China) every month the war lasts will diminish Europe's food supplies. Men under arms can't till the soil, whether they're mobilized neutrals or combatants.

Consider, too, that there are 40,000,000 more mouths to feed in Europe today than during the World war, from which we recall the following production figures:

In 1917 wheat and other cereals stood at 35 per cent below normal, or 960,786,000 bushels. That year American farmers planted 238,000,000 acres to care for America's needs and those of Europe. It was 22 per cent more than the previous 10-year average of 195,000,000 acres.

If the present war drags on, Europe must turn for replacements of bread, meat, potatoes, woolens and butter to the United States, the various British dominions and South America.

Will Prices Go Up?

The third factor—especially interesting to farm owners or investors—is the prospect of higher land

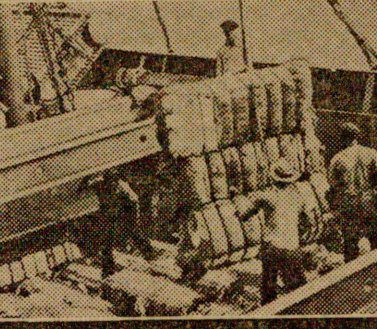
If Europe's War Continues:



Domestic food demand will become greater.



Price of farm products will go higher.



Warring nations to seek more foodstuffs here.



Land values expected to increase.

values. S. M. Waters, president of the Mortgage Bankers association, has this to say: "The man who owns a farm today undoubtedly has something more valuable than it was three months ago. The European conflict may have the most far-reaching effects for owners of farm property."

Nobody wants to profit by human misery, least of all the American farmer. But war, peace or neutrality, he has a stake in the present situation and if he does some straight thinking he can be stronger at the war's end than he was at its start.

Chester Davis, agriculture's representative on the federal reserve board, urged farmers to "keep their shirts on, think intelligently and work together," thus moving out of the war into an improved position.

Stress Soil Conservation.

By "keeping his shirt on," Mr. Davis meant the farmer should avoid overexpansion and the pitfall of too easy profits that later may turn to losses. The World War taught that lesson, and it is highly significant that next year's AAA program aims to place more emphasis on soil conservation than on crop control. Probably the most practical move the farmer can make, say the experts, is to take stock of his

land's fertility. For if agriculture is called on to step up production as a result of the war, this will be of major importance.

How does the fertility score stand? Of 600,000,000 tillable farm acres, 50,000,000 have been completely ruined, according to the soil conservation service. An additional 50,000,000 are seriously damaged and a lot more has suffered a marked decline in fertility.

Causes were erosion; failure to replace necessary plant food removed year after year by growing soil; leaching; drain of live stock raising; oxidation of soil organic matter, and by fire.

The total annual fertility loss to American farm land is 16,000,000 tons of nitrogen, 2,500,000 tons of phosphorus and 36,200,000 tons of potash, it is estimated.

'Be Prepared.'

"Whether war or peace prevails," says the Middle West Soil Improvement committee, "the necessity for an ever-increasing program of soil conservation is indicated by the fact that fertilizers and manures are believed to restore only 18 per cent of the annual nitrogen loss and about 6.8 per cent of the potash loss. Restoration from other sources reduces the annual net loss to 2,700,000 tons of nitrogen, approximately 1,200,000 tons of phosphorus and more than 30,000,000 tons of potash.

Agriculture here has one advantage in the matter of fertilizers that it didn't enjoy at the outbreak of the World War. Then we were almost entirely dependent on Germany for potash and Chile for natural nitrates. Today, thanks to science and American industry, we are independent and will continue so.

When the American farmer hears the "be prepared" signal to get his land ready for any eventuality, he knows it can be done.

London Censors
Christmas Cards
To Foil Nazi Spies

LONDON.—Spies will find it difficult to use Christmas cards for sending messages out of Great Britain this year because of an ingenious control system which has been introduced by the department of military censorship.

Britons who wish to send cards to certain "censorable countries"—including most of Europe, China, Japan and the overseas possessions of neutral European nations—must place their orders with a stationer and give him the list of names and addresses of those people to whom cards are to be sent. The stationer then himself will address and mail the cards.

This control was thought necessary because during the last war, enemy agents made extensive use of greeting cards to convey information to Germany by way of neutral countries.

College Income Up in '39.

WASHINGTON.—Colleges and universities did better financially during the past year than the year before, according to a survey by the United States office of education.

A report from some 330 institutions showed collections from students for educational purposes went up 8 per cent over the previous year while national, state and local governments contributed 1 per cent more.

While income from endowments dropped 3 per cent, private benefactions for current purposes increased 9 per cent and revenue from sales and services of "related activities" increased 24 per cent. The report was prepared by Henry G. Badger and Frederick J. Kelly.

NATIONAL AFFAIRS

Reviewed by
CARTER FIELD

War is on again between the administration and the electric industry... President Roosevelt hopes to curb federal spending and cut down the deficit... Assistant Attorney General Arnold's anti-trust law drive against labor worries New Dealers.

WASHINGTON.—It begins to look as though the cruel war between the administration and the electric industry is going to start all over again, with David E. Lilienthal, of TVA, sounding the call to arms and Corcoran and Cohen, George W. Norris and John E. Rankin in the cheering squad.

All of which is mighty interesting if one traces the history of this campaign back for a year.

During that year there have been three moves calculated to give the impression that peace between the government and the utilities was at hand. These moves were:

1. Starting of the peace drive by Harry L. Hopkins. This began when Hopkins' name was sent to the senate by President Roosevelt to be secretary of commerce. Hopkins at that time talked to a number of senators and others with regard to his ideas about business. First and foremost he wanted peace with the utilities.

This does not mean that Hopkins was disloyal to either Roosevelt or the New Deal. But he was firmly convinced then, and every indication was that he had convinced Roosevelt, that something must be done to restore confidence in the electric companies, to get investors to putting their money in them once more, and as a result to start the utilities spending.

Investors Lack Confidence

So Utilities Do Not Spend

Before this William O. Douglas, now a justice of the Supreme court but then chairman of the SEC, had been talking a great deal to the President, to Hopkins, and to others about this piled-up lack of spending by the utilities. Douglas estimated that for the three preceding years the utilities should have spent one billion dollars a year on improvements and expansions. He said they had not done so because their managements did not have the nerve. Heads of the utility companies admitted they had not been spending but said it was not so much lack of nerve on their part as lack of confidence on the part of the investors, and hence that no matter what they might be willing to dare, they had no choice but to defer expenditures they might otherwise like to make.

No 2 in the peace moves was when TVA bought out the properties of the Tennessee Electric company, thus apparently making peace between Wendell L. Willkie's Commonwealth and Southern and the administration. This is the peace just ended by Lilienthal's blasts.

No 3 in the peace moves was the war resources board headed by Assistant Secretary of War Louis A. Johnson. This board discovered what it thought were some weak spots in the utility setup, looking at it from a strictly national defense standpoint. While these alleged weaknesses were hotly denied by experts of the private utilities, the electric companies were gratified that this board made no pretense of using national defense as an excuse to force further socialization of the industry.

Then that blew up—the board was disbanded, and its powers entrusted to a new body headed by Harold L. Ickes, who is second in utility baiting only to Senator George W. Norris.

So it looks like a long war!

President Roosevelt Hopes

To Curb Federal Spending

President Roosevelt's hopes to cut the deficit next year by one billion dollars are based on two premises. One is that better business will largely increase federal receipts from taxes, and the other is the determination to cut federal spending.

If he should achieve his goal he will still be far from balancing the budget. There would still be a deficit of something between one and a half to two billion dollars. But at least it would be a step in the right direction—a step which might be highly important in keeping the budget-balancing and eventual inflation issue out of the 1940 presidential campaign.

It is true that this issue was raised with all the strength of the Republican party in 1936, and that it amounted to precisely nothing so far as affecting public opinion or changing votes was concerned. But the President realizes that the state of the public mind on this issue may be very different in 1940 from what it was in 1936.

When the last presidential election was progressing, business was improving. It looked as though the Roosevelt policies were working out satisfactorily in a financial way as well as from a social standpoint. The prospect now is that business

will continue to improve during 1940, giving a comparable favorable position with the last campaign. There are some skeptics who doubt this, it should be stated. Many economists inside the New Deal fear a recession this coming spring. But the majority opinion is that there will be slow improvement, as war orders increase.

Customs Duties Decrease.

But Business Is Improving

The difference between 1940 and 1936—assuming that the similarity of improving business during a campaign holds good—will be, as it is viewed now, that there will be more people worrying about where the continuance of the Roosevelt policies will lead. It was one thing to have the government spend vastly more than it takes in for a three-year period, with obviously improving conditions apparently resulting. It might be quite another to have eight full years (including the last year of Hoover) in which the government spent billions more every year than it took in, with recurring periods of recession and mild improvement. Especially as during the eight years the national debt had been increased until it is now dangerously close to the legal limit of forty-five billion dollars.

There seems to be every prospect that Roosevelt's hopes with respect to increased federal revenues will be gratified. It is true that customs duties are decreasing rapidly, and will continue to decrease if the war lasts. But it is also true that, due partly to war orders, general business is improving. This will not only mean an enormous increase in corporation income taxes—the government takes 18 cents tax of every dollar any fair-sized corporation makes, and slightly less, down to 16½ cents, for each dollar of the small concerns. It will mean also heavily increased individual income taxes.

It is on the spending side that real difficulty impends. It will be simple enough to cut the budget estimates. That has often happened, even under Roosevelt. Notably in the first fiscal year of his administration. But it is dangerous to rely on that. The key will come not when the first appropriation bills are passed, but when the last deficiency bills appear on Capitol Hill.

Arnold's Drive on Labor

Is Worrying New Dealers

Probably as left wing as any one in the administration, Assistant Attorney General Thurman W. Arnold is nevertheless the most unpopular of all New Dealers among labor leaders. The answer is his determined drive against certain labor practices, and especially his proposed application of the anti-trust laws to labor unions.

Reports from American Federation of Labor circles indicate that word has reached the office of William Green that President Roosevelt is not in sympathy with Arnold's policy in this particular. But, reassuring as this may be in certain quarters, there is no sign that the White House intends to pull Arnold off.

Indeed there are some who suspect the President would be very loath to take this action, and might be very uncertain as to what course Arnold might follow if he should.

Whatever the President may do, it is now apparent that Arnold's policy on the application of the anti-trust laws to labor unions still has to face a court test. This policy boils down to the proposition that union activities are legitimate only when directed against employers. This is the essence of his declaration that jurisdictional strikes resulting from union rivalry violate the anti-trust laws because they do not concern wages, hours, health or safety conditions, etc., or an employer's refusal to bargain collectively.

Arnold's doctrine is that a union, which has a contract with an employer, is entitled to the same protection afforded by the anti-trust laws as a business man who is the victim of a combination in restraint of trade by other business men. Department of justice officials won't go so far as to say that sympathetic strikes are outlawed by their interpretation of the anti-trust laws. They say, indeed, that where one union is striking for a legitimate object a sympathetic strike by another union is legitimate.

Stand on Non-Union Goods

Not Restraint of Trade

In taking a stand against strikes, boycotts or coercion by unions which have no "reasonable" connection with hours, etc., Arnold does not classify refusal of union labor to handle non-union products as an illegal restraint of trade. As for refusal of one union to handle the products of another union, Arnold's lieutenants will not peep now but admit they may have to face that question eventually.

Arnold and his staff are counting on their anti-trust drive in the building industry to get them more money for law enforcement from congress next year.

Just recently, giving no sign of its own view, either collectively or individually, the Supreme court heard Arnold expound his belief that state fair-trade acts, plus the Miller-Tydings act, do not give manufacturers and distributors free license to do what they please in the way of price fixing. He insisted that if they overstep the somewhat nebulous bounds of "reasonableness" they can be prosecuted for violating the Sherman anti-trust act.

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stretched cloth sewed in the back as in steps 1 and 2. The wig is made as in step 3.

Sew across the top of the legs to make the doll jointed. Sew the arms down and the tips of the feet up as indicated. Sew clear through the head when adding the bead eyes about half way between the top and bottom. This shapes the cheeks. A few stitches in red make the mouth. The pleated skirt is cut straight. The trousers are slightly shaped in the crotch. The sweaters are made from the tops of children's socks.

NOTE: The 10 cent edition of Sewing Book No. 4 is now ready for mailing, as well as the 10 cent editions of No. 1, 2 and 3. Mrs. Spears has just made quilt block patterns for three designs selected from her favorite Early American quilts. You may have these patterns FREE with your order for four books. Price of books—10 cents each postpaid. Set of three quilt block patterns without books—10 cents. Send orders to Mrs. Spears, Drawer 10, Bedford Hills, New York.

There's a Good Reason
You're Constipated!

When there's something wrong with you, the first rule is: get at the cause. If you are constipated, don't endure it first and cure it afterward. Find out what's giving you the trouble.

Chances are it's simple if you eat the super-refined foods most people do: meat, white bread, potatoes. It's likely you don't get enough "bulk." And "bulk" doesn't mean a lot of food. It's a kind of food that isn't consumed in the mass in the intestines and helps a bowel movement.

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Cheerful Outlook

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DOAN'S PILLS

You Eat Ton of Food in Year,
With Emphasis on Dairy Items

CHICAGO.—The food the average American eats in a year, equal to almost a ton and more than ten times the average weight of an adult, was piled up for display before a group of young vegetable growers here recently.

The merchandise was assembled in actual quantity at the annual banquet of the Junior Vegetable Growers' association during their convention.

On the basis of figures compiled from official sources, the average American consumes nearly his own weight in meat alone—using 150 pounds as an average weight.

Heavy on Dairy Products.

Likewise, if you maintain an average consumption, you'll consume your weight three times over, at least, in dairy products, which lead the list in "tonnage." Much of this is in fluid form, the balance in butter, ice cream, malted milk and similar products.

The young vegetable growers, who were guests of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea company at this year's banquet, were particularly interested in the assembled mass of fresh and canned vegetables which statistics indicate the average American consumes annually. Potatoes of course lead in this division, with a per capita consumption of 145 pounds. Other items in the vegetable division, such as sweet potatoes, peas, corn, beans, spinach, carrots, lettuce, tomatoes and all the others, reach to a volume close to the weight of an average adult.

All grains consumed, in the form of bread, cereals and in liquid form, treble the weight of the average adult.

We're Eating More Fish.

Figures indicate that fish consumption is gaining. The figure used includes fresh and salt water fish, canned fish, frozen fish and all the various items such as oysters, crabmeat, lobsters and so on. The quick freezing process which permits shipment to inland points of salt water fish is credited with bringing about some of the increase in demand.

The Junior Vegetable Growers held their judging contest on the day of the banquet. Thirty-five

The Average American weighs 150 pounds

Eats in one year—

dairy products (except butter) 448 lbs.

wheat 241 lbs.

fresh fruits 158 lbs.

potatoes 145 lbs.

grains (other than wheat) 143 lbs.

meat 140 lbs.

fresh vegetables 104 lbs.

sugar 45 lbs.

eggs 38 lbs.

fish 37 lbs.

domestic fats-oils-lard 33 lbs.

canned vegetables 32 lbs.

sweet potatoes 31 lbs.

canned fruits 30 lbs.

dried vegetables 29 lbs.

poultry 24 lbs.

butter 16 lbs.

coffee 14 lbs.

condiments 11 lbs.

miscellaneous (tropical fruits, imported fats, cocoa, etc.) 55 lbs.

Each symbol = 20 pounds

teams from various states competed for seven trophies and 20 cash prizes.

Prologue to Love

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CHAPTER VIII—Continued

The conviction had grown gradually upon Bruce that Autumn was leading this free life of hers with some ulterior purpose. He could not think of her running wild from choice. Nor had he ever been able to understand her violent change of manner toward him, unless the Laird himself had brought it about by something he had told her, by some peremptory ban he had placed upon their relationship. Even then he could not credit the change. Autumn was too willful, too independent, to permit even her father to make up her mind for her. Something else, something of which he was in total ignorance, was behind it all. But whatever it was, there was no other course for him except a harsh discipline in forgetting.

An utter loneliness enveloped him now as he ascended the scantily timbered, wild mountain reaches. Over only a short distance toward the north, in the completely still, mysterious folds of the hills, lay the Dean summer range, skirting his own. Across a deep valley, spread over the palely green mountain-side opposite, one of the units of the Laird's flock was dimly discernible. Trained though his eyes were to the ambiguity of vast distances, it was all Bruce could do to distinguish the flock in that brilliant, thin atmosphere. But across the vacancy there came to him, piercingly sweet, the sound of a bell. He knew that bell—there was only one like it anywhere in the Upper Country. It was Autumn Dean's Basque bell. The sound of it had drawn him across the valley on his last trip, nearly a month ago now, and he had spent an hour of the afternoon with the young Irish lad who was one of the Laird's herders. He would never forget the wistful blue eyes of the boy and the eagerness with which he strove to prolong the visit. As the sound of the bell struck across his senses now, Bruce strove grimly to repudiate the significance, to himself, of that sound. It was sheer sentimentality on his own part that the bell seemed to chime Autumn's name. He resolved that on his next trip into the hills he would leave home early enough to turn aside and spend an hour with the young herder. He would do so today but that he had to get back in time for an appointment he had made that night with a buyer in Kamloops.

It was late that evening when Bruce drew up to the curb and got from his car before a gray, weathered building that had served as a trading post in the old days. The structure housed a billiard parlor now and was known locally as "Sandy's Place." It had become a rendezvous for cattle and sheep men, ranch hands seeking employment, and nondescript transients. But despite the determination of the years to mold it to a less romantic form, there clung about it still some of the pungent, zestful air of times gone by when sordidness and chequered drifts in for a night's lodging and a game of poker. The proprietor was a rugged old Scotchman who had himself been a prospector on Williams Creek.

There were not more than a half dozen idlers in the front room of the place when Bruce entered. He looked them over and sauntered into the back room, pausing in the doorway to glance about for the buyer he had come to see. He discovered his man in a far corner of the smoke-filled room, seated at a poker table with four others. Bruce moved across the room and spoke to him.

The buyer looked up. "Hello, Landor!" he greeted.

Bruce spoke to the other men at the table.

"Buy a stack and sit in, Landor," one of them invited.

"Not tonight," Bruce replied. "I'm going home to bed as soon as I've had a word with Myers, here."

"I'll be with you in a minute," said Myers.

Bruce lighted a cigarette and watched the progress of the play. He was not sure just what had drawn his attention to a conversation at the table behind him, but presently the mention of Jarvis Dean's name caused him to glance around. Curly Belfort, a rancher from the Ashcroft district, was doing the talking while the others listened. Belfort had evidently been drinking. Bruce gave his attention to the game at Myers' table.

The click of the chips and the monotonous sound of voices lay drowsily upon his senses after a day in the mountains.

Belfort's voice thrust itself boisterously upon his consciousness. Bruce could not help hearing the words.

"—and, by God, if there wasn't old Dean's daughter standin' up out o' the haystack, an' stretchin' herself at seven o'clock in the mornin'."

An "I say to young Parr, 'Do you think I'm runnin' a country hotel, or somethin'?' Or is this the way they do it in Europe?" I says. But he kept on tinkerin' with his car." Belfort laughed heartily at his own joke. "Some gal the Laird's brat has turned out to be, spendin' the night in a haystack with—"

Bruce had got up abruptly and stepped over beside Belfort, his face

gone suddenly white, his mouth fixed in a slight, contemplative smile as he stood looking down at the rancher.

"You've had too much to drink, Curly," Bruce interrupted him.

Belfort's eyes moved in slow insolence up and down Bruce's body. Then his mouth twisted to one side in a drunken leer as he laid his cards down on the table in front of him.

"Who's tellin' me?" he asked. "I'm telling you," Bruce replied. "Only a drunken swine would talk the way you're talking."

Belfort got to his feet with an oath, but Bruce pushed him back into his chair. Muttering to himself, Belfort sprang up and lifted the chair. Before he could swing it, Bruce's hand had shot out and the man staggered backwards and stumbled to the floor. The other men in the room rushed forward to intervene, old Sandy among them. Before they could prevent it, how-



Autumn was too willful, too independent, to permit even her father to make up her mind for her.

ever, Belfort was on his feet and was rushing at Bruce.

"Stop this, now!" old Sandy ordered.

But even as he spoke, Bruce struck again and Belfort crumpled to the floor.

Sandy flung his arms desperately about Bruce. "Stop it, lad!" he cried excitedly. "Stop it, or we'll have the law on us!"

Bruce shook him coolly off. "Better not step into this, Sandy," he advised. "Belfort has something to say to me or one of us has to take a licking, law or no law!"

Belfort had pulled himself together with painful difficulty. Bruce strode over to him, but old Sandy stepped between them and faced Belfort.

"Here, now," he demanded, "what's all this about? What's it about, Curly?"

"Ask him," Belfort snarled.

"What's it all about?" Sandy begged of Bruce, maintaining his position stoutly between them.

"Belfort knows," Bruce replied. "He has been talking about a certain young lady whose name—"

"There was another woman with her, damn you!" Belfort screamed, his face livid. "And another man! The car was broke down."

"What you said was a lie, then, wasn't it?" Bruce prompted.

"I told nothing but what I saw with my own eyes," Belfort retorted.

"What you implied was a damn lie!" Bruce challenged, stepping toward him.

Belfort's head began wagging to and fro as he watched Bruce in a sort of stupid fascination. Presently he nodded. "If you want to look at it that way," he admitted. "I was only talkin'."

"Think twice before you talk like that again," Bruce advised him casually, taking a cigarette from his shirt pocket as he spoke.

A half dozen of Belfort's friends had got around him and were urging him toward the door.

"I'll talk to you again," said Belfort, over his shoulder.

"Any time, Curly," Bruce replied, and lit his cigarette.

Sandy scratched his head in relief as Belfort disappeared through the doorway. Then he shook his head at Bruce. "Yon's a bad actor, lad," he said quietly. "I'd be lookin' out for him if I was you."

"I intend to," said Bruce and turned again to take the seat beside Myers.

CHAPTER IX

The Laird had asked old Hector Cardigan to dinner. It was rarely these days that Hector was invited to dine alone with Jarvis Dean. In the old days he had frequently been a guest at the Castle, but that, as Hector knew, had been Millicent's doing. There had never been anything but the most cordial relationship between the two men, however, but Jarvis had lived too much to

himself during the years since his wife's death.

It was not until they had left the table, however, and had retired to the drawing room that his host gave any inkling of what was on his mind. The Laird had paused in the hallway and asked whether they would go to the library or sit in the drawing room. Hector had not hesitated in making the choice. The library was the one spot in the house that belonged peculiarly to Jarvis Dean. The drawing room, on the other hand, had been Millicent's and held still some lingering aroma of her presence there. Besides, Hector's hand had done its best in making the room what it was.

"Of course," Jarvis said, when Hector had expressed his preference. "I might have known. Go in and sit down. I'll fetch the brandy."

And now the two men sat on opposite sides of the empty fireplace, their old-fashioned brandy glasses in their hands, pledging each other's health in stately and ancient fashion. The Laird trimmed and lighted a cigar, turning it round and round in his fingers as he contemplated it pensively. Hector drew a cigarette from his own case and lighting it, extinguished the match and placed it carefully on the tray beside him.

"It isn't often," the Laird began, "that I ask a man to help me consider my private affairs."

"It isn't often you have required the advice of another," Hector encouraged.

Jarvis blew a thick cloud of smoke from his lips and sighed heavily. "That's a polite remark, sir," he said as if he were talking to himself, "but it's a prodigious lie, just the same."

Hector knew his host. To be called a liar by Jarvis Dean was no offense, unless the mood itself were an offensive one.

"I know of no law against a man being polite to his host," Hector countered.

"There ought to be, then," said the Laird. "A man would be better off if he heard the truth now and then, even across his own dinner table."

Hector coughed lightly. "The average man is no better off, sir, no matter where he hears the truth."

Jarvis seemed to consider that matter for a moment, then dusted the gray ash lightly from the end of his cigar. "Have you heard about this fracas in old Sandy's back room a night or two ago?" he asked abruptly.

"I was told about it," Hector admitted cautiously.

"Aye—and the whole country knows about it. It's a dirty business."

"But one over which we have little control, I'm afraid."

Jarvis' look sharpened. "We have something to say on what brought it about," he said. "In my day a young woman's name—if she was a lady—wasn't mentioned in such a place."

"I have no doubt young Landor feels much the same about it—even in these days."

"That's not the point, sir. In my day a young woman gave no reason for having her name bandied about over a poker table."

"The times have changed, it seems," Hector murmured.

"It's our own fault, then. We've let these youngsters get out of hand with their racing about the country in automobiles and their abominable cocktails and the like. Where is it going to stop?"

Hector sighed, half-amused, and yet thoroughly aware of what was troubling the Laird's mind.

"They'll probably all marry and settle down and have children of their own to plague them in their turn," he said lightly.

Jarvis leaned forward in his chair and looked fixedly at his guest. "I want your opinion about that girl of mine," he said frankly. "What's she like?"

Hector smiled. "She's your own daughter, sir," he replied. "You ought to know her better than I."

"I don't. She was never anything but a child to me—until now. Since she came back, she's been a stranger in the house. More than half the time she's not here at all. She'll be back here tonight from the Parr Lodge—not alone, either, I'll warrant—and the place will be like bedlam until she goes again."

Hector got up and tossed his cigarette into the empty maw of the fireplace. He walked to the French windows and looked out upon the garden that glowed palely under summer starlight.

"I have been wondering about the girl," he said at last. "I have talked with her, too. She is not happy."

"Happy?" Jarvis grunted. "What does she want that she cannot have?" But his eyes were half closed in self-concealment.

"She hasn't told me that," Hector replied. "I can only guess, at best."

"What's your guess, then?"

Hector returned to his seat and selected another cigarette. "It is my opinion, Jarvis, that the girl has been in love—ever since she came back here."

The Laird frowned. There was no escaping the meaning of Hector's words. "You mean—this young Landor?"

Certainly," said Hector.

Jarvis shrugged impatiently. "Puppy-love!" he exclaimed. "She'll get over that—if she isn't already over it."

Hector looked steadily at the Laird for a moment without speaking. "What you see," he said at last, his voice very low, "is probably the process by which she hopes to get over it. And it would not surprise me to learn that she finds it as painful as you do."

"Tommyrot!" the Laird exploded. "You have asked my opinion."

Hector said with dignity, "And I am giving it."

"If I thought there was anything to that," the Laird replied, "I'd sell you and get out—and take her with me."

"I know you would," Hector observed, "—and accomplish nothing."

"What do you mean by that, sir?"

Hector smiled patiently at the Laird. "You ought to know the breed better than to ask that," he said. "If Millicent's daughter is in love, there's very little that either you or I can do about it, I think."

There followed a long silence at the end of which Jarvis helped himself to another drink and poured one for his guest. They toasted each other as cordially as if there had been no disagreement between them, and then the Laird turned abruptly to talking of things that left no room for difference of opinion.

It was almost midnight when Autumn finally came home, bringing Linda Parr with her to stay for a few days at the Castle. The girls came upon the two old men seated before the fireplace, their brandy glasses in their hands, their eyes grown heavy from sitting up long past their time for bed.

"Why, Da—we had no idea you'd be waiting for us at this hour!" Autumn exclaimed, after greetings had gone around. "You should have been in bed hours ago."

She laid aside her hat and gloves as she spoke and seated herself in one of the Queen Anne chairs, her feet curled up under her, her elbow resting on the arm of the chair, her chin pressed against her palm. Linda sat near her, comically prim, her hands folded in her lap.



"But we're used to it, Mr. Dean."

her feet placed very precisely on the floor—the image of discreet propriety.

"The hour is no later for me than it is for you, my girl," Jarvis replied, his voice betraying a little impatience as he spoke.

"But we're used to it, Mr. Dean," Linda offered with a smile.

"So I have been informed," said the Laird. "Are you young ladies aware that your conduct is creating a deal of talk in the district?"

Autumn smiled. "You're not bothering your head, Da, over what the gossips have to say about—"

"I'm bothering my head about you, my girl," he interrupted her. "Do you know that your name was the center of a scandalous brawl in the back room of a dive in Kamloops the other night?"

"We've heard all about it, Da," Autumn replied. "It was simply absurd."

"But piquant," Linda put in.

"Belfort is a beast," Autumn went on.

"A girl with any respect for herself doesn't give a beast any excuse for talking," her father observed.

Autumn checked her rising anger. "There were four of us in the party—Lin and I, and Florian and a friend of his," she explained. "We were coming home along the highway from Ashcroft. We got started later than we had intended and when we got as far as Belfort's ranch the car broke down. While the boys worked on the car, Lin and I went to sleep in a haystack close to the road. Belfort towed us to a garage about seven o'clock in the morning."

"Or we should have been there still," Linda added.

"And that's all there is to the story," Autumn concluded.

"I accept your account on its merits," Jarvis Dean said, "but it explains nothing. The whole escapade was a scandal and an outrage, whether Belfort had anything to do with it or not. There'll be no repetition of the like, my girl, if you are to remain in my house!"

Hector Cardigan remained silent, but every now and then a profound sigh escaped him which was to Autumn singularly audible above the deep and vehement tones of her father's voice.

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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Lesson for December 17

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PARABLES OF THE KINGDOM

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 13:3-9, 31-33, 44-46.

GOLDEN TEXT—Incline your ear, and come unto me: hear, and your soul shall live.—Isaiah 55:3.

Teaching by parable, a method so often used by our Lord Jesus Christ, has many advantages. A parable (which is a story relating events in common life to teach or illustrate spiritual truth) is useful in stimulating interest and attention, in making the truth clear, in fixing it in the hearer's memory, and in attracting for further instruction those who are interested even as it eliminates those who make no response. Jesus was the master of this art of teaching. Others have learned from Him.

The interpretation of the parables of Jesus has brought forth much difference of opinion. The important point to bear in mind is that the interpretation must be one consistent with other scripture, as well as with our Lord's own revelation of its meaning when given. We have His own interpretation of the parable of the Sower (Matt. 13:18-23), but He did not interpret the other parables of our lesson, leaving it for us to carefully seek their meaning and gladly receive their instruction.

I. Take Heed How You Hear (vv. 3-9).

This parable is rightly called the parable of the Sower for our Lord so named it (v. 18), but as we read it we see that the lesson it teaches relates primarily to the four kinds of hearers of the Word of God.

There are some who hear and their hearts and minds have so long been the common road over which every worldly influence has passed, that it has become so hard the Word of God finds no lodgment, but is quickly carried away by the birds, which are the "vultures of worldliness" and wickedness (see v. 19). Reader, if your heart is like that, ask God to break it up. Let us all shun those hardening influences which destroy our susceptibility to God's Word.

Others there are who hear and the seed takes root, but the soil is so shallow that it has only a quick growth which soon withers. These are those whose life is largely emotional, thrilling to a new experience, but not ready to face trials and the responsibilities of life (v. 21). As long as the Christian life looks attractive such shallow folk want to be counted in, but when they learn that it involves sacrifice, they are gone. Shallow souls, pray God to give your life depth and real meaning and worth.

Others hear and receive the truth, but soon permit the cares of life to choke and destroy it (see v. 22). This pictures modern life so aptly that one could dwell with profit on the vital lessons here taught.

Thank God, some of the seed brings forth a rich harvest! There is encouragement for every teacher and preacher of the Word of God. Notice (vv. 8, 23) that if we should bring forth a hundred-fold it would be tragic to bear only thirty or sixty.

II. Beware of the Power of Evil (vv. 31-33).

Just as the mustard plant was never intended to grow into a tree in which the birds would dwell, so Christianity was never intended to be a nominally Christianized world empire in which ungodly men, the dark birds of the evil one (v. 19), should find comfortable lodgment. Unfortunately, that is what much of professing Christianity has become. Let those of us who love the Lord beware that we are not misled by it.

The parable of the leaven teaches the same lesson. Always in the New Testament leaven stands for evil (see such passages as Matt. 22:16-21, 23, 29; 23:14, 16; 1 Cor. 5:6-8; Gal. 5:9). It is any influence that weakens testimony, encourages hypocrisy, formalism or worldliness. Who can deny that this leaven has spread throughout the Church? The Evil One is powerful. Let us beware of his power and of his leaven.

III. Value Redemption Aright (vv. 44-46).

In interpreting this parable we observe that obviously the sinner had nothing to sell with which to buy salvation, even if it were to be bought, which we know it is not (Eph. 2:8). We do give up some things to follow Christ, but are they not the worthless and degrading things? On the other hand, He gave us His all, even to the shameful death of the cross. This He did for His own people, Israel, and what we are even more interested in, for the Church.

Let us value our redemption highly. We have been purchased with the unspeakable price, the blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. Let us then heed the admonition of the apostle Paul, "Ye are bought with a price, therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's" (1 Cor. 6:20).

Our Greed

The great error of our nature is, not to know where to stop, not to be satisfied with any reasonable acquirement; not to compound with our condition; but to lose all we have gained by an insatiable pursuit after more.—Burke.

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Virtues Lost

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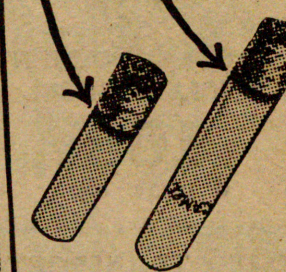
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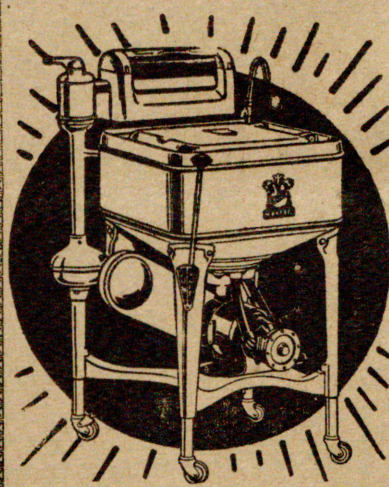
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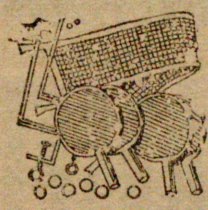
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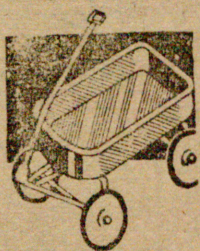
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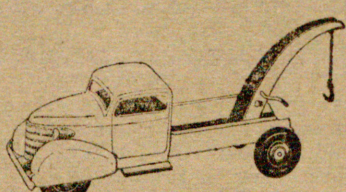
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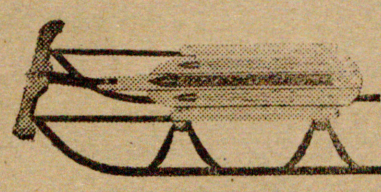
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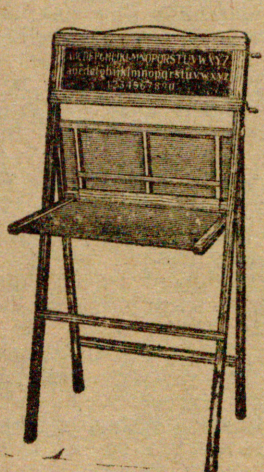
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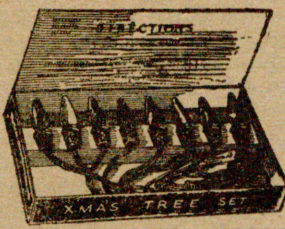
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Dramatic chairman for the Senior room. Mrs. Verna Schumh and teachers of the Primary department are supervising the Primary dramatic work. Mrs. Myrtle Alexander is costume chairman. The Y. M. C. A. club will be in charge of decorations. Mr. Joseph Ingraham, Supt., and Mrs. Margaret Papke, assistant Supt., are helping wherever possible.

Mrs. Herbert Senning has returned home from Silver Cross hospital, where she has been a medical pa-

tient. Nina Marshall and Billy Fuerer are confined to the homes with the whooping cough.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Skinner and family, Yorkville, Ill., spent Sunday with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Fitzer and daughter, Janet Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. William Fitzer and family.

William Metcalf, Chicago, was a week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Senning and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ewing and son, Danny, were guests Saturday in Wilmington, of Mr. and Mrs. John Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Harnack will entertain the T. H. E. M. club at their home Saturday night.

Miss Beatrice Walsh is spending several days in Gary, Ind., with her cousin, Miss Doris Wall.

A very large crowd attended the Gleaner's dance and party, held in the Colonial Hall Friday night.

The next Gleaner dance will be held New Year's Eve, as usual.

Miss Bette McIntyre has returned home from Brannon Memorial hospital, in Manhattan, where she underwent a major operation two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knight and son, Jackie, have moved here from Chicago, and are residing in the Eugene Kost home on Francis road.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Reese, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Voelker, of Joliet, visited Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Anderson.

The next meeting of the Y. M. C. A. club will be at a New Year's Eve watch party to be held at the home of Ray Brown.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church met last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ray Brown, with twenty-five present.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon, after which the meeting followed. Assisting Mrs. Brown were Mrs. T. J. Doig, Mrs. Arthur Papke, and Mrs. Howard Ayres.

The Royal Neighbors met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Alexander, and the annual election of officers was held.

Mrs. Dorothy Osmus, and Arthur Wirth, have returned home from Pennsylvania, where they enjoyed a deer hunting trip. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carlson, of Plainfield.

Mrs. Earl Roth entertained members of the Entre-Nous club at a Christmas dinner party in her home Tuesday night.

Mrs. John Speuhley opened her home Thursday afternoon to the Ladies Auxiliary of the Episcopal church at their annual Christmas tea.

Sunday evening the Episcopal church will have their Christmas party at the church. At 7:30 there will be the candle light choir procession, followed by the regular evening service. The Children's program will follow, and then Santa will arrive with his gifts, and fruit.

Mrs. Anna Mattes, Austin Park, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Craig, Chicago, were week-end guests of Mrs. Viola Corp.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Corp, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gould attended the Stock show in Chicago last week.

Approximately 100 parents attended the P. T. A. meeting held Friday evening in the school auditorium.

Mr. R. Skinner, Joliet, performed demonstrations of magic, and the business session followed. Reports of the secretary, treasurer, membership chairman, ways and means chairman were heard. A committee was appointed to take charge of the P. T. A. annual Christmas party.

Afterward group singing was led by the Girls Choir, and Miss Ruth Smith. A double trio, who are as follows: John Senning Joe Gougar, Harold Rinhardt, Robert Buckler, Ronald Sass, and Wesley Brown. Miss Dew Daily, teacher of the Joliet Township high school gave a very interesting talk on South America. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Ekedahl, of Itasca, Ill., were Sunday guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Ekedahl and son.

Mrs. John Warning entertained the members of the B-Square club at her home Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. G. Robert Stockley returned home Friday from Silver Cross hospital, where she underwent a major operation two weeks ago.

Miss Audry Hoffman, Ottawa, Ill., spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoffman.

Mrs. David Martin and her son, Mr. Wilbur Martin, Chicago, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Collatz.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Drake entertained their pinocle club Saturday night. Pinocle was in play at three tables, and prizes were awarded to:

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Miss Irene Leff, George Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cerven, Chicago, were guests Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Minicus.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carlson are vacationing in Kansas and Texas, where they are visiting with relatives and friends.

Robert Lee Corp and Fred Francis attended the Stock Show in Chicago last week.

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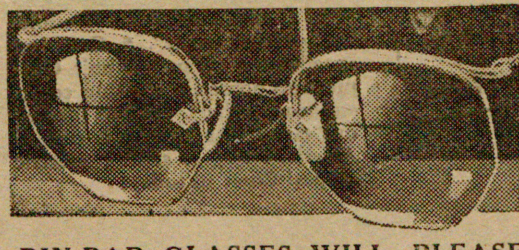
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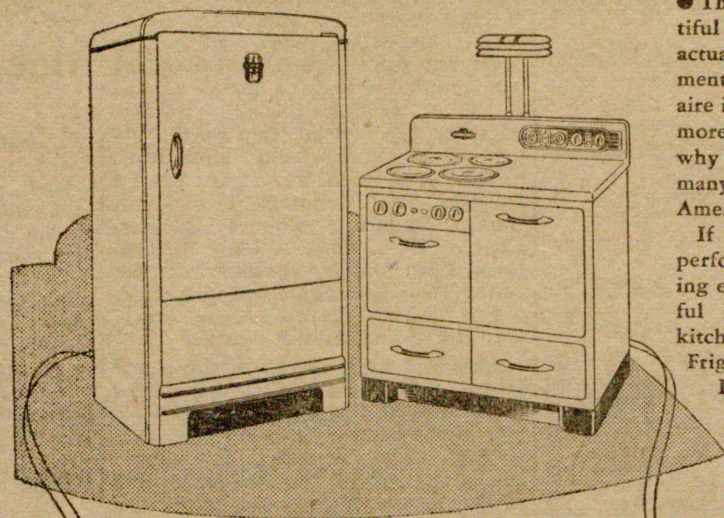
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